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### NOTE.

The information in this Bulletin has been compiled from the latest available official records and forecasts, and is in some instances subject to revision.

# STATISTICAL SUMMARY.—OCTOBER, 1912.

## Section I.—Population and Vital Statistics.

### No. 1.—AREA AND POPULATION.

States and Territories.	Area, Square Miles.	Population (Exclusive of Full-blooded Australian Aborigines).						
		Census—3rd April, 1911.				Estimated 31st March, 1912.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Per 100 sq. miles	Males.	Females.	Total.
States—								
N.S.W. ...	309,460	857,698	789,036	1,646,734	532	879,090	808,678	1,687,768
Victoria ...	87,884	655,591	659,960	1,315,551	1,497	693,788	682,725	1,376,513
Queensland	670,500	329,506	276,307	605,813	90	339,344	285,818	625,162
Sth. Aust.	380,070	207,358	201,200	408,558	108	212,793	205,994	418,787
West Aust.	975,920	161,565	120,549	282,114	29	170,320	127,138	297,458
Tasmania	26,215	97,591	93,620	191,211	729	97,736	93,627	191,363
Territories—								
North. Ter.	523,620	2,734	576	3,310	0.6	2,741	575	3,316
Fed. Capital Territory	912	992	722	1,714	190	1,088	897	1,985
C'wealth ...	2,974,581	2,313,035	2,141,970	4,455,005	150	2,396,900	2,205,452	4,602,352
„ 30/6/12	...	...	...	...	...	2,420,931	2,223,308	4,644,239 (a)

(a) Particulars for individual States not available.

### No 2.—ESTIMATED POPULATION EXCLUSIVE OF FULL-BLOODED ABORIGINES.

31st Dec.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Q'land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania	Nor. Ter.	Fed. Cap. Ter.	Commonwealth.
1900	1,360,305	1,196,213	493,847	357,250	179,967	172,900	4,857	...	3,765,339
1901	1,375,455	1,209,900	506,721	359,330	193,601	175,233	4,673	...	3,824,913
1902	1,401,943	1,208,231	512,240	357,007	211,973	179,450	4,474	...	3,875,318
1903	1,425,183	1,204,742	517,728	357,033	224,748	182,924	4,234	...	3,916,592
1904	1,455,458	1,205,608	524,935	359,368	239,408	185,167	4,206	...	3,974,150
1905	1,487,884	1,210,421	531,482	362,621	250,138	186,385	4,046	...	4,032,977
1906	1,521,618	1,219,832	538,973	366,513	255,173	185,472	3,904	...	4,091,485
1907	1,561,572	1,232,807	545,805	373,663	254,540	189,598	3,737	...	4,161,722
1908	1,583,923	1,250,449	557,099	385,831	259,671	191,733	3,572	...	4,232,278
1909	1,613,899	1,277,022	577,845	392,897	265,675	193,119	3,503	...	4,323,960
1910	1,643,855	1,301,408	599,016	406,868	276,832	193,803	3,301	...	4,425,033
1911	1,672,783	1,362,794	622,129	418,172	294,181	193,479	3,248	1,921 a	4,568,707

(a) Part of New South Wales prior to 1911.

## No. 3.—ESTIMATED INCREASE OF POPULATION.

States and Territories.	1901.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	Six months of	
						1912.	1911.

## NATURAL INCREASE (EXCESS OF BIRTHS OVER DEATHS).

States—							
New South Wales...	21,854	26,403	27,972	29,286	30,391	15,495	14,816
Victoria ...	15,104	15,331	17,108	16,705	17,810	8,401	9,093
Queensland ...	8,296	9,150	10,022	10,425	10,440	5,531	5,241
South Australia ...	5,046	5,873	6,241	6,484	7,019	3,529	3,514
Western Australia...	3,199	4,876	4,898	4,845	5,168	2,395	2,473
Tasmania ...	3,116	3,486	3,658	3,466	3,510	1,692	1,686
Territories—							
Northern Territory	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>	— 34	—25	—23
Fed. Cap. Territory	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	20	7	4
Total ...	56,615	65,119	69,899	71,211	74,324	37,025	36,804

## NET IMMIGRATION (EXCESS OF IMMIGRATION OVER EMIGRATION). (c)

States—							
New South Wales...	— 6,704	— 4,052	2,004	670	— 1,463	...	...
Victoria ...	— 1,417	2,311	9,465	7,681	43,576	...	...
Queensland ...	4,578	2,144	10,724	10,746	12,673	...	...
South Australia ...	— 3,150	6,130	756	7,285	4,285	...	...
Western Australia...	10,435	255	1,106	6,312	12,181	...	...
Tasmania ...	— 783	— 1,351	— 2,272	— 2,782	— 3,834	...	...
Territories—							
Northern Territory	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>	— 19	...	...
Fed. Cap. Territory	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	1,901	...	...
Total ...	2,959	5,437	21,783	29,912	69,300	(d) 38,507	25,846

## TOTAL ESTIMATED INCREASE.

States—							
New South Wales...	15,150	22,351	29,976	29,956	28,928	...	...
Victoria ...	13,687	17,642	26,573	24,386	61,386	...	...
Queensland ...	12,874	11,294	20,746	21,171	23,113	...	...
South Australia ...	1,896	12,003	6,997	13,769	11,304	...	...
Western Australia...	13,634	5,131	6,004	11,157	17,349	...	...
Tasmania ...	2,333	2,135	1,386	684	— 324	...	...
Territories—							
Northern Territory	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>	<i>a</i>	— 53	...	...
Fed. Cap. Territory	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>b</i>	1,921	...	...
Total ...	59,574	70,556	91,682	101,123	143,624	(d) 75,532	62,650

- (a) Included with South Australia. (b) Included with New South Wales.  
(c) The figures in this table are adjusted for estimated unrecorded departures.  
(d) Particulars for individual States not available.



## No. 4—BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES.

QUARTER ENDED 30th JUNE, 1912.

States and Territories.	Births.			Deaths.			Marriages
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
States—							
New South Wales ...	6,098	5,818	11,916	2,600	1,850	4,450	4,214
Victoria ...	4,216	4,145	8,361	2,258	1,940	4,198	3,157
Queensland ...	2,340	2,284	4,624	1,033	611	1,644	1,460
South Australia ...	1,472	1,389	2,861	628	496	1,124	1,090
Western Australia ...	1,002	1,031	2,033	633	309	942	621
Tasmania ...	684	630	1,314	268	232	500	441
Territories—							
Northern Territory	4	1	5	15	2	17	8
Fed. Cap. Territory	3	6	9	1	1	2	3
Commonwealth	15,819	15,304	31,123	7,436	5,441	12,877	10,994

States and Territories.	1901.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	Six months of	
						1912.	1911.

## BIRTHS.—NUMBER, 1901-1912.

States—							
New South Wales ...	37,875	42,458	43,782	45,444	47,537	24,043	23,124
Victoria ...	31,008	31,097	31,544	31,437	33,026	16,597	16,385
Queensland ...	14,303	14,830	15,552	16,169	16,984	8,986	8,374
South Australia ...	9,079	9,756	10,064	10,540	11,057	5,741	5,451
Western Australia ...	5,718	7,755	7,602	7,585	8,091	4,100	3,945
Tasmania ...	4,930	5,615	5,500	5,586	5,437	2,676	2,641
Territories—							
Northern Territory	32	34	27	40	31	12	16
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	30	13	9
Commonwealth	102,945	111,545	114,071	116,801	122,193	62,168	59,945

## BIRTH RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

States—						*	*
New South Wales ...	27.78	26.99	27.40	27.83	28.75	...	...
Victoria ...	25.77	25.07	25.01	24.51	24.84	...	...
Queensland ...	28.52	26.79	27.29	27.33	27.65	...	...
South Australia ...	25.41	25.81	25.91	26.50	26.89	...	...
Western Australia ...	30.39	30.08	28.87	27.99	28.21	...	...
Tasmania ...	28.58	29.95	28.91	29.25	28.57	...	...
Territories—							
Northern Territory	6.71	9.30	7.63	11.75	9.34	...	...
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	16.85	...	...
Commonwealth	27.16	26.59	26.69	26.73	27.21	†27.01	26.91

\* Equivalent annual rate. † Particulars for individual States not available.



## POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

## BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES (Continued).

States and Territories.	1901.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	Six Months of	
						1912.	1911.

## DEATHS.—NUMBER, 1901-1912.

States—							
New South Wales	16,021	16,055	15,810	16,158	17,146	8,548	8,308
Victoria ...	15,904	15,766	14,436	14,732	15,216	8,196	7,292
Queensland ...	6,007	5,680	5,530	5,744	6,544	3,455	3,133
South Australia ...	3,974	3,834	3,782	4,014	4,038	2,212	1,937
Western Australia ...	2,519	2,879	2,704	2,740	2,923	1,705	1,472
Tasmania ...	1,814	2,129	1,842	2,120	1,927	984	955
Territories—							
Northern Territory	91	83	68	82	65	37	39
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	10	6	5
Commonwealth	46,330	46,426	44,172	45,590	47,869	25,143	23,141

## DEATH RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

States—						*	*
New South Wales ...	11.75	10.20	9.89	9.89	10.37	...	...
Victoria ...	13.22	12.71	11.45	11.49	11.45	...	...
Queensland ...	11.98	10.26	9.70	9.71	10.65	...	...
South Australia ...	11.12	10.14	9.74	10.09	9.82	...	...
Western Australia ...	13.39	11.17	10.27	10.11	10.19	...	...
Tasmania ...	10.51	11.36	9.68	11.10	10.13	...	...
Territories—							
Northern Territory	19.10	22.71	19.20	24.10	19.58	...	...
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	5.62	...	...
Commonwealth	12.22	11.07	10.33	10.43	10.66	†10.92	10.39

## MARRIAGES.—NUMBER, 1901-1912.

States—							
New South Wales ...	10,538	12,641	13,025	14,307	15,278	8,260	7,717
Victoria ...	8,406	9,335	9,431	10,239	11,088	5,832	5,595
Queensland ...	3,341	4,009	4,543	4,768	5,167	2,693	2,543
South Australia ...	2,304	3,112	3,275	3,661	4,036	2,010	2,017
Western Australia ...	1,821	2,012	1,997	2,107	2,421	1,228	1,186
Tasmania ...	1,338	1,432	1,494	1,493	1,477	799	747
Territories—							
Northern Territory	5	10	10	17	10	16	5
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	5	4	3
Commonwealth	27,753	32,551	33,775	36,592	39,482	20,842	19,813

\* Equivalent annual rate.

† Particulars for individual States not available.

## BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES (Continued).

States and Territories.	1901.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	Six Months of	
						1912.	1911.

## MARRIAGE RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

States—						*	*
New South Wales ...	7.73	8.03	8.15	8.76	9.24	...	...
Victoria ...	6.99	7.53	7.48	7.98	8.34	...	...
Queensland ...	6.66	7.24	7.97	8.06	8.41	...	...
South Australia ...	6.45	8.23	8.43	9.20	9.81	...	...
Western Australia ...	9.68	7.80	7.59	7.77	8.44	...	...
Tasmania ...	7.76	7.64	7.85	7.82	7.76	...	...
Territories—							
Northern Territory	1.05	2.74	2.83	5.00	3.01	...	...
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	2.81	...	...
Commonwealth	7.32	7.76	7.90	8.37	8.79	9.05†	8.89

\* Equivalent annual rate.

† Particulars for individual States not available.

## No. 5.—RECORDED MIGRATION—COMMONWEALTH, 1906-1912

Year.				Arrivals.			Departures.*		
				Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1906	...	...	...	36,312	17,852	54,164	34,088	17,211	51,299
1907	...	...	...	45,755	22,883	68,638	37,370	18,754	56,124
1908	...	...	...	48,677	23,531	72,208	39,611	19,447	59,058
1909	...	...	...	57,487	26,122	83,609	36,845	17,831	54,676
1910	...	...	...	65,745	29,947	95,692	39,885	18,260	58,145
1911	...	...	...	96,964	44,945	141,909	43,894	20,312	64,206
1912 (ten months)	...	...	...	91,945	44,490	136,435	42,394	18,160	60,554

\* It is considered that the recorded departures are understated. See note "C" Table 3.

## MIGRATION, COMMONWEALTH.

**No. 6.—ARRIVALS and DEPARTURES according to Nationality or Race of Persons who arrived in or departed from the Commonwealth during the Month of October, 1911 and 1912, and during the ten months of the same years.**

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	October.		Ten months of		October.		Ten months of	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.
British ...	12,928	11,389	119,552	96,738	4,700	3,195	49,476	42,618
Austrian ...	53	57	685	993	26	15	281	293
Danish ...	39	21	278	299	4	...	89	108
Dutch ...	41	26	357	256	11	6	67	85
French ...	140	150	1,069	1,054	62	74	712	895
German ...	413	275	3,020	1,987	199	82	1,720	1,318
Greek ...	114	43	694	466	15	26	161	174
Italian ...	55	52	1,467	1,123	68	45	817	655
Russian ...	153	101	857	802	28	17	255	168
Scandinavian ...	129	113	1,091	1,191	104	83	840	811
Spanish ...	26	24	117	132	4	3	34	26
Swiss ...	28	11	165	107	1	...	46	26
Turkish ...	...	...	12	10	...	...	...	1
United States ...	140	58	1,092	681	30	16	495	348
Other White ...	63	45	540	359	10	11	362	122
<b>Total, White Nationalities</b>	<b>14,322</b>	<b>12,365</b>	<b>130,996</b>	<b>106,198</b>	<b>5,262</b>	<b>3,573</b>	<b>55,355</b>	<b>47,648</b>
Afghans ...	...	...	26	26	2	4	34	56
Chinese ...	320	349	3,066	2,384	277	232	3,262	2,463
Japanese ...	55	33	523	368	27	20	414	325
Malays ...	10	48	791	902	49	92	660	637
Natives of India and Ceylon...	28	24	299	201	6	21	421	237
Syrians ...	6	5	53	102	...	...	13	70
Other Asiatics ...	8	1	106	48	5	3	52	81
Negroes, American ...	...	2	46	12	...	...	4	44
Papuans ...	...	1	160	131	...	56	50	366
Polynesians, Melanesians ...	38	43	226	160	42	19	201	95
Other Coloured ...	70	32	143	120	24	23	88	109
<b>Total, Coloured Nationalities or Races</b>	<b>535</b>	<b>538</b>	<b>5,439</b>	<b>4,454</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>5,199</b>	<b>4,483</b>
<b>TOTAL, ALL NATIONALITIES OR RACES</b>	<b>14,857</b>	<b>12,903</b>	<b>136,435</b>	<b>110,652</b>	<b>5,694</b>	<b>4,043</b>	<b>60,554</b>	<b>52,131</b>

## MIGRATION, COMMONWEALTH.

No. 7.—ARRIVALS and DEPARTURES according to the Countries whence the Persons arrived or to which they departed during the Month of October, 1911 and 1912, and during the ten months of the same years.

Country.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	October.		Ten Months of		October.		Ten Months of	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.
United Kingdom ...	7,431	7,579	72,484	53,346	1,132	716	17,604	15,059
Canada ...	286	344	2,868	2,594	...	180	2,149	2,191
Cape Colony ...	237	195	1,961	1,512	53	29	772	588
Fiji ...	179	132	1,703	1,593	157	97	2,224	1,938
Hong Kong ...	203	87	2,083	1,142	207	149	2,617	1,181
India and Ceylon ...	152	202	2,108	1,921	156	162	1,416	1,244
Natal ...	12	9	240	174	96	37	1,028	1,233
New Zealand ...	2,319	2,144	28,753	28,813	2,415	1,832	17,901	16,742
Norfolk Island ...	27	2	135	104	1	...	81	77
Papua ...	105	55	873	851	119	108	939	1,075
Straits Settlements ...	88	66	1,025	1,020	118	85	1,293	941
Other Brit. Possessions	24	83	427	343	16	38	558	391
Total British Countries	11,063	10,898	114,660	93,413	4,470	3,433	48,582	42,660
China ...	169	243	1,169	1,384	50	4	445	951
France ...	400	368	2,370	2,083	100	93	1,609	1,727
Germany ...	326	167	1,765	1,195	155	66	1,130	705
Italy ...	225	158	2,345	1,969	133	68	1,662	1,439
Japan ...	104	98	641	647	47	9	622	498
New Caledonia ...	105	128	914	963	3	104	531	741
South Sea Islands ...	159	109	1,243	979	170	30	850	686
United States ...	151	59	1,490	640	246	29	2,428	590
Other For'gn Countries	2,155	675	9,838	7,379	320	207	2,695	2,134
Total For'gn Countries	3,794	2,005	21,775	17,239	1,224	610	11,972	9,471
„ ALL COUNTRIES	14,857	12,903	136,435	110,652	5,694	4,043	60,554	52,131

No. 8.—NOMINATED and SELECTED IMMIGRANTS WHO ARRIVED IN THE COMMONWEALTH DURING 1912.

State.	Nominated.			Selected.			Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
N. S. Wales (a)...	4,351	4,422	8,773	2,785	897	3,682	12,455
Victoria (a) ...	(b)	(b)	3,685	(b)	(b)	5,794	9,479 (c)
Queensland (d) ...	2,426	2,175	4,601	231	345	576	5,177 (e)
S. Australia (a)...	911	843	1,754	5	142	147	1,901
W. Australia (a)...	1,596	1,761	3,357	1,910	902	2,812	6,169
Tasmania (b) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) To 31st Oct. (b) Not available. (c) In addition 874 unassisted immigrants were dealt with by the Immigration Bureau. (d) To 30th Sept. (e) In addition 152 Russians (full-paying passengers) from Manchuria, and 115 unassisted immigrants were dealt with by the Immigration Department.



## Section II.—Shipping and Commerce.

## No. 9.—SHIPPING.—NET TONNAGE ENTERED AND CLEARED.

Year.	Tonnage Entered.			Tonnage Cleared.		
	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.
1906 ... ..	2,767,280	1,238,865	4,006,145	3,855,193	105,320	3,960,513
1907 ... ..	2,828,786	1,643,280	4,472,066	4,154,783	196,017	4,350,800
1908 ... ..	3,046,051	1,249,628	4,295,679	4,061,927	223,545	4,285,472
1909 ... ..	3,219,498	1,141,696	4,361,194	3,953,578	201,979	4,155,557
1910 ... ..	3,604,554	1,003,266	4,607,820	4,535,642	189,684	4,725,326
1911 ... ..	3,914,784	1,078,436	4,993,220	4,869,013	122,568	4,991,581
1911 (10 months)	3,158,232	920,404	4,078,636	4,015,206	110,328	4,125,534
1912 „ „	3,505,650	742,594	4,248,244	4,161,658	86,170	4,247,828

## No. 10.—COMMERCE.—VALUE OF DIRECT OVERSEA IMPORTS.

States and Territories.	1901.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	17,560,207	20,860,391	19,828,486	20,887,560	23,238,466	27,342,452
Victoria ...	12,686,880	17,101,022	16,433,257	16,531,981	20,002,606	21,850,963
Queensland ...	3,515,667	4,617,439	4,516,043	4,591,888	5,427,855	6,212,240
South Australia ...	3,927,206	4,815,459	4,971,990	5,096,121	5,976,169	6,245,380
Western Australia	3,895,151	3,587,548	3,212,021	3,322,390	4,538,118	4,485,363
Tasmania ...	811,361	827,174	837,476	741,956	831,137	816,806
Northern Territory	37,539	*	*	*	*	14,284
Commonwealth	42,434,011	51,809,033	49,799,273	51,171,896	60,014,351	66,967,488

## No. 11.—VALUE OF DIRECT OVERSEA EXPORTS.†

New South Wales	18,210,627	32,894,073	26,880,709	26,044,789	32,035,451	32,161,401
Victoria ...	13,075,259	17,112,298	15,165,031	17,842,876	18,188,236	18,915,716
Queensland ...	4,333,846	5,769,388	5,538,534	5,861,294	8,171,593	8,389,284
South Australia ...	4,432,778	7,970,547	7,667,297	8,468,715	10,243,197	10,174,966
Western Australia	7,941,001	8,578,440	8,522,837	6,680,539	5,339,263	9,171,198
Tasmania ...	1,673,470	499,501	536,650	420,623	513,410	625,031
Northern Territory	29,191	*	*	*	*	44,662
Commonwealth	49,696,172	72,824,247	64,311,058	65,318,836	74,491,150	79,482,258

\* Included in South Australia.

† Goods destined for oversea countries are largely transferred from one State to another for transhipment to the oversea country. For 1907 and the subsequent years such goods are, in this table, shewn against the State from which they were finally despatched from the Commonwealth. The exports from New South Wales and Victoria—the States in which transshipments are chiefly made—are thus inflated by the inclusion of goods consigned from other States. Owing to the discontinuance of the records of interstate trade from the 13th September, 1910, adjustment on account of transshipments can no longer be made. On the basis of the transshipments recorded during the years 1907, 1908, and 1909, the New South Wales figures include exports of other States amounting to £3,036,672 net, per annum, and Victoria £1,003,714, which were originally despatched as follows:—From Queensland, £1,376,484; South Australia, £1,018,592; Western Australia, £2884; and Tasmania, £1,636,426. The great difference between the value of exports from Tasmania during the year 1901 and subsequent years is due to the fact that in the former year goods despatched from Tasmania for transhipment in other States were recorded as oversea exports from Tasmania, whereas in the later years they are included, for the most part, as exports from New South Wales and Victoria.

**No. 12.—TOTAL VALUE AND VALUE PER HEAD OF POPULATION OF THE  
EXTERNAL TRADE OF THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-11.**

Year	Value.					Value per Head.				
	Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports.			Total Trade.	Imports	Exports.		
			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1901	92,130,183	42,434,011*	47,741,776	1,954,396	49,696,172	24 6 1	11 3 11	12 11 10	0 10 4	13 2 2
1902	84,591,037	40,675,950*	41,268,781	2,646,306	43,915,087	21 19 7	10 11 4	10 14 6	0 13 9	11 8 3
1903	86,061,583	37,811,471*	45,658,883	2,591,229	48,250,112	22 2 1	9 14 3	11 14 7	0 13 3	12 7 10
1904	94,506,757	37,020,842	55,100,167	2,385,748	57,485,915	23 19 4	9 7 9	13 19 6	0 12 1	14 11 7
1905	95,187,766	38,346,731	54,127,758	2,713,277	56,841,035	23 15 10	9 11 9	13 10 7	0 13 6	14 4 1
1906	114,482,675	44,744,912	66,269,874	3,437,889	69,737,763†	28 3 10	11 0 4	16 6 7	0 16 11	17 3 6
1907	124,633,280	51,809,033	69,516,500	3,007,747	72,824,247†	30 4 5	12 11 3	16 18 7	0 14 7	17 13 2
1908	114,110,351	49,799,273	62,118,903	2,192,155	64,311,058†	27 4 1	11 17 5	14 16 2	0 10 6	15 6 8
1909	116,490,732	51,171,896	62,843,711	2,475,125	65,318,836†	27 5 0	11 19 5	14 14 0	0 11 7	15 5 7
1910	134,505,501	60,014,351	71,836,195	2,654,955	74,491,150†	30 15 6	13 14 8	16 8 9	0 12 1	17 0 10
1911	146,449,746	66,967,488	76,205,210	3,277,048	79,482,258†	32 12 4	14 18 3	16 19 6	0 14 7	17 14 1

\* Owing to the failure to record as Oversea Imports, goods received in one State of the Commonwealth for transhipment to another State thereof, it has been estimated that the value of Imports given in this table is understated by the following amounts:—1901, £2,121,500; 1902, £1,546,924; 1903, £1,024,211. † Does not include the value of Stores shipped in Australian Ports on board oversea ships. The value of Ships' Stores was in 1906, £875,966; 1907, £998,897; 1908, £1,196,106; 1909, £1,071,677; 1910, £1,080,133, and in 1911, £1,238,446.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.			Excess of Exports.		
	Mer- chandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.	Mer- chandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.	Mer- chandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	41,499,147	934,864	42,434,011	34,425,953	15,270,219	49,696,172	—7,073,194	14,335,355	7,262,161
1902	39,216,771	1,459,179	40,675,950	28,547,594	15,367,493	43,915,087	—10,669,177	13,908,314	3,239,137
1903	36,551,542	1,259,929	37,811,471	29,126,154	19,123,958	48,250,112	—7,425,388	17,864,029	10,438,641
1904	35,816,994	1,203,848	37,020,842	39,718,846	17,767,069	57,485,915	3,901,852	16,563,221	20,465,073
1905	36,796,436	1,550,295	38,346,731	45,045,521	11,795,514	56,841,035	8,249,085	10,245,219	18,494,304
1906	42,413,995	2,330,917	44,744,912	52,027,830	17,709,933	69,737,763	9,613,835	15,379,016	24,992,851
1907	49,974,833	1,834,200	51,809,033	61,636,787	11,187,460	72,824,247	11,661,954	9,353,260	21,015,214
1908	48,608,921	1,190,352	49,799,273	50,120,838	14,190,220	64,311,058	1,511,917	12,999,868	14,511,785
1909	50,115,521	1,056,375	51,171,896	56,638,552	8,680,284	65,318,836	6,523,031	7,623,909	14,146,940
1910	58,682,391	1,331,960	60,014,351	69,855,873	4,635,277	74,491,150	11,173,482	3,303,317	14,476,799
1911	64,997,907	1,969,581	66,967,488	67,435,172	12,047,086	79,482,258	2,437,265	10,077,505	12,514,770

## Imports and Exports.

**No. 13.—VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED AND EXPORTED DURING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1912 AND 1911, TOGETHER WITH THE TOTAL VALUE OF THE SAME ARTICLES FOR THE TEN MONTHS OF THE YEARS 1912 AND 1911.**

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.

(Subject to Revision).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Ale and Beer ...	Oct. 1912	55,801	71	853	924
	" 1911	27,486	122	566	688
	10 mths. 1912	509,513	1,189	5,254	6,443
	" 1911	378,924	1,255	5,323	6,578
Animals Living— Horses ...	Oct. 1912	29,422	29,536	...	29,536
	" 1911	24,962	30,775	5,500	36,275
	10 mths. 1912	190,027	136,915	4,915	141,830
	" 1911	308,687	151,825	11,651	163,476
Cattle ...	Oct. 1912	...	14,579	...	14,579
	" 1911	1,004	4,741	...	4,741
	10 mths. 1912	1,263	55,007	...	55,007
	" 1911	6,749	35,569	...	35,569
Sheep ...	Oct. 1912	83	8,206	...	8,206
	" 1911	329	3,646	105	3,751
	10 mths. 1912	9,554	64,185	90	64,275
	" 1911	24,803	28,016	105	28,121
Apparel & all Descriptions of Soft Goods	Oct. 1912	1,303,405	4,322	15,331	19,653
	" 1911	990,146	5,162	11,905	17,067
	10 mths. 1912	14,613,502	38,708	122,815	161,523
	" 1911	13,110,497	38,648	114,977	153,625
Biscuits ...	Oct. 1912	2,094	8,948	25	8,973
	" 1911	458	7,435	7	7,442
	10 mths. 1912	8,488	68,816	122	68,938
	" 1911	6,172	64,555	65	64,620
Bones, Hoofs, and Horns	Oct. 1912	143	5,365	...	5,365
	" 1911	34	2,975	...	2,975
	10 mths. 1912	1,904	40,621	...	40,621
	" 1911	1,929	33,512	67	33,579
Boots and Shoes	Oct. 1912	61,789	865	287	1,152
	" 1911	27,709	1,161	448	1,609
	10 mths. 1912	456,770	11,407	2,831	14,238
	" 1911	311,080	12,292	3,121	15,413
Butter ...	Oct. 1912	47	335,470	...	335,470
	" 1911	251	464,058	...	464,058
	10 mths. 1912	1,884	2,231,536	322	2,231,858
	" 1911	932	3,194,576	...	3,194,576
Cement (Portland)	Oct. 1912	36,418	...	139	139
	" 1911	16,783	25	72	97
	10 mths. 1912	200,014	1,106	2,267	3,373
	" 1911	126,301	2,150	2,589	4,739
Cheese ...	Oct. 1912	2,784	508	96	604
	" 1911	1,041	461	27	488
	10 mths. 1912	16,063	4,402	364	4,766
	" 1911	11,846	25,817	412	26,229



## VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Coal ...	Oct. 1912	...	129,028	...	129,028
	" 1911	2,158	81,738	...	81,738
	10 mths. 1912	12,236	943,510	...	943,510
	" 1911	6,918	729,047	...	729,047
Cocoa and Chocolate—all forms	Oct. 1912	47,933	5	96	101
	" 1911	22,283	...	125	125
	10 mths. 1912	340,845	99	2,452	2,551
	" 1911	283,389	83	2,059	2,142
Coffee and Chicory—all forms	Oct. 1912	6,944	33	578	611
	" 1911	4,302	41	499	540
	10 mths. 1912	110,719	473	3,898	4,371
	" 1911	81,250	468	3,900	4,368
Copper Ingots and Copper contained in Matte	Oct. 1912	...	328,681	...	328,681
	" 1911	954	219,420	...	219,420
	10 mths. 1912	507	2,372,778	...	2,372,778
	" 1911	5,461	1,894,002	...	1,894,002
Cordage and Twines	Oct. 1912	87,347	1,103	1,558	2,661
	" 1911	55,056	508	1,167	1,675
	10 mths. 1912	624,620	7,669	16,373	24,042
	" 1911	606,810	6,178	17,513	23,691
Drugs and Chemicals	Oct. 1912	120,173	8,865	2,646	11,511
	" 1911	79,823	6,685	2,113	8,798
	10 mths. 1912	1,024,140	67,691	30,699	98,390
	" 1911	915,349	56,668	27,413	84,081
Earthenware, China, etc.	Oct. 1912	49,677	652	342	994
	" 1911	33,447	311	166	477
	10 mths. 1912	363,754	3,270	3,092	6,362
	" 1911	359,280	3,323	2,450	5,773
Fish (all kinds)...	Oct. 1912	79,209	3,434	1,005	4,439
	" 1911	32,243	3,687	1,037	4,724
	10 mths. 1912	573,991	24,280	10,408	34,688
	" 1911	391,493	18,322	12,155	30,477
Fruits, Dried—					
Currants ...	Oct. 1912	3	1,526	9	1,535
	" 1911	26	...	385	385
	10 mths. 1912	842	2,298	220	2,518
	" 1911	2,350	7	469	476
Raisins ...	Oct. 1912	159	3,118	3	3,121
	" 1911	126	188	5	193
	10 mths. 1912	1,088	25,669	45	25,714
	" 1911	820	1,884	604	2,488
Other ...	Oct. 1912	1,875	44	81	125
	" 1911	715	205	48	253
	10 mths. 1912	24,385	15,115	586	15,701
	" 1911	17,958	16,791	2,416	19,207
Fruits, Fresh—					
Apples ...	Oct. 1912	8,448	1,135	51	1,186
	" 1911	8,317	1,996	38	2,034
	10 mths. 1912	14,430	386,165	81	386,246
	" 1911	8,683	339,231	74	339,305
All other ...	Oct. 1912	23,331	5,001	2	5,003
	" 1911	18,931	6,085	...	6,085
	10 mths. 1912	127,332	48,514	162	48,676
	" 1911	140,219	67,240	298	67,538
Furniture ...	Oct. 1912	36,643	1,023	136	1,159
	" 1911	22,692	563	264	827
	10 mths. 1912	263,912	8,378	4,420	12,798
	" 1911	203,398	10,635	2,828	13,463



## VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Glass and Glassware ...	Oct. 1912	63,164	445	600	1,045
	" 1911	38,502	270	636	906
	10 mths. 1912	497,447	4,469	7,564	12,033
	" 1911	417,421	3,963	7,045	11,008
	Oct. 1912	61,018	215,145	...	215,145
Gold, uncoined ...	" 1911	165,866	189,218	...	189,218
	10 mths. 1912	965,427	1,667,929	...	1,667,929
	" 1911	1,328,247	1,879,037	...	1,879,037
	Oct. 1912	5,749	8	2	10
Grain & Pulse, Unprepared— Barley ...	" 1911	4,022	9	...	9
	10 mths. 1912	101,409	196	7	203
	" 1911	35,550	1,229	...	1,229
	Oct. 1912	75,487	144	1,644	1,788
Maize ...	" 1911	646	607	...	607
	10 mths. 1912	184,032	1,573	4,186	5,759
	" 1911	2,716	3,072	...	3,072
	Oct. 1912	16,264	47	4,442	4,489
Oats ...	" 1911	118	11,020	...	11,020
	10 mths. 1912	369,984	6,074	9,157	15,231
	" 1911	639	43,887	48	43,935
	Oct. 1912	...	351,355	...	351,355
Wheat ...	" 1911	152	622,005	...	622,005
	10 mths. 1912	33	6,007,931	...	6,007,931
	" 1911	211	8,611,645	...	8,611,645
	Oct. 1912	1,296	4,078	127	4,205
Other (including Beans and Peas)	" 1911	1,674	1,306	29	1,335
	10 mths. 1912	27,121	9,742	447	10,189
	" 1911	16,693	27,297	533	27,830
	Oct. 1912	672	5,360	140	5,500
Grain & Pulse, Prepared— Bran, Pollard, & Sharps	" 1911	...	9,180	...	9,180
	10 mths. 1912	5,562	38,260	241	38,501
	" 1911	30	72,790	...	72,790
	Oct. 1912	29	114,266	...	114,266
Flour (Wheaten)	" 1911	81	155,656	...	155,656
	10 mths. 1912	1,491	1,226,400	...	1,226,400
	" 1911	2,456	1,172,831	8	1,172,839
	Oct. 1912	262	122	12	134
Oatmeal, etc....	" 1911	254	520	1	521
	10 mths. 1912	8,023	763	114	877
	" 1911	5,758	1,676	127	1,803
	Oct. 1912	5,703	...	10,228	10,228
Rice...	" 1911	5,546	...	6,453	6,453
	10 mths. 1912	350,662	...	69,277	69,277
	" 1911	249,684	...	61,689	61,689
	Oct. 1912	7,813	1,217	32	1,249
Other	" 1911	2,649	2,048	33	2,081
	10 mths. 1912	52,982	8,061	1,780	9,841
	" 1911	37,732	11,361	327	11,688
	Oct. 1912	43,762	278	578	856
Hats and Caps ...	" 1911	23,683	206	452	658
	10 mths. 1912	386,490	2,770	3,930	6,700
	" 1911	276,232	1,590	3,405	4,995
	Oct. 1912	74	2,579	...	2,579
Hay and Chaff ...	" 1911	10	3,759	...	3,759
	10 mths. 1912	3,496	19,278	...	19,278
	" 1911	524	19,435	...	19,435

## VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Hops ... ..	Oct. 1912	7,466	11	229	240
	" 1911	2,351	7	34	41
	10 mths. 1912	64,699	2,094	552	2,646
	" 1911	39,953	538	1,604	2,142
Implements & Machinery— Agricultural, Horticultural, & Viticultural	Oct. 1912	44,302	4,356	1,666	6,022
	" 1911	70,059	2,854	2,842	5,696
	10 mths. 1912	496,295	124,667	12,848	137,515
	" 1911	598,990	102,569	12,051	114,620
Indiarubber goods ...	Oct. 1912	91,082	6,684	1,246	7,930
	" 1911	63,863	7,172	4,817	11,989
	10 mths. 1912	842,667	62,475	15,491	77,966
	" 1911	767,290	73,439	29,269	102,708
Iron and Steel— Bar, Rod, etc., Blooms, Slabs, etc., Girders, Joists, etc.	Oct. 1912	216,169	460	1,995	2,455
	" 1911	110,389	195	915	1,110
	10 mths. 1912	1,607,382	5,053	14,828	19,881
	" 1911	1,370,821	3,047	14,159	17,206
Galvanized—Plate and Sheet	Oct. 1912	242,160	46	2,352	2,398
	" 1911	97,084	...	1,576	1,576
	10 mths. 1912	1,794,290	120	21,659	21,779
	" 1911	1,424,364	58	23,431	23,489
Pig and Scrap ...	Oct. 1912	26,556	54	591	645
	" 1911	24,002	25	330	355
	10 mths. 1912	270,542	1,419	3,643	5,062
	" 1911	217,132	1,424	4,264	5,688
Jams and Jellies ...	Oct. 1912	1,468	2,270	9	2,279
	" 1911	402	2,287	6	2,293
	10 mths. 1912	10,333	19,173	81	19,254
	" 1911	6,208	17,281	188	17,469
Jute Goods, including Bags and Sacks (Bran, Flour, and Corn, Gunny, and Ore and Woolpack)	Oct. 1912	154,507	299	1,044	1,343
	" 1911	200,202	58	486	544
	10 mths. 1912	891,385	6,872	21,779	28,651
	" 1911	913,798	1,966	10,726	12,692
Lead—Pig, and Lead contained in Matte	Oct. 1912	...	244,808	...	244,808
	" 1911	...	74,135	...	74,135
	10 mths. 1912	192	1,334,453	5	1,334,458
	" 1911	2,906	869,745	44	869,789
Leather ... ..	Oct. 1912	44,660	68,501	4,318	72,819
	" 1911	29,667	39,797	989	40,786
	10 mths. 1912	445,156	485,639	23,688	509,327
	" 1911	296,495	360,661	18,201	378,862
Machines and Machinery (all kinds, except Agricultural, for which see "Implements")	Oct. 1912	444,327	12,914	10,983	23,897
	" 1911	291,573	5,322	6,768	12,090
	10 mths. 1912	3,921,870	44,717	75,966	120,683
	" 1911	3,004,279	53,912	71,142	125,054
Manures ... ..	Oct. 1912	13,941	14,723	209	14,932
	" 1911	30,765	7,314	5	7,319
	10 mths. 1912	485,741	147,505	2,836	150,341
	" 1911	420,529	132,369	1,249	133,618
Matches and Vestas ...	Oct. 1912	21,013	...	368	368
	" 1911	14,037	...	153	153
	10 mths. 1912	168,133	10	3,149	3,159
	" 1911	153,327	23	2,728	2,751

## VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Meats, Preserved by Cold Process—		£	£	£	£
Beef ...	Oct. 1912	218	201,462	...	201,462
	" 1911	2	69,042	...	69,042
	10 mths. 1912	418	1,409,185	...	1,409,185
	" 1911	212	1,006,260	...	1,006,260
Mutton and Lamb	Oct. 1912	...	172,400	...	172,400
	" 1911	...	256,104	...	256,104
	10 mths. 1912	68	910,916	...	910,916
	" 1911	15	1,037,216	...	1,037,216
Poultry	Oct. 1912	6	975	...	975
	" 1911	5	2,166	...	2,166
	10 mths. 1912	46	8,454	...	8,454
	" 1911	244	6,432	...	6,432
Rabbits and Hares	Oct. 1912	...	23,289	...	23,289
	" 1911	...	12,284	...	12,284
	10 mths. 1912	...	299,788	...	299,788
	" 1911	...	387,384	...	387,384
Meats, Preserved in Tins...	Oct. 1912	6,486	62,717	58	62,775
	" 1911	1,213	46,658	45	46,703
	10 mths. 1912	25,760	538,190	674	538,864
	" 1911	17,440	655,021	1,314	656,335
Metals, Manufactures of—					
Dutiable	Oct. 1912	234,118	Included in "Free"		
	" 1911	174,816			
	10 mths. 1912	1,987,692			
	" 1911	1,617,506			
Free ...	Oct. 1912	298,795	6,135	7,402	13,537
	" 1911	182,907	4,315	6,282	10,597
	10 mths. 1912	2,336,474	51,171	65,266	116,437
	" 1911	1,912,774	48,857	66,687	115,544
Milk—					
Concentrated & Preserved	Oct. 1912	3,938	2,654	242	2,896
	" 1911	4,984	835	329	1,164
	10 mths. 1912	20,699	12,450	3,185	15,635
	" 1911	65,499	10,154	4,390	14,544
Oil—Kerosene ...	Oct. 1912	62,672	...	1,133	1,133
	" 1911	39,558	...	1,036	1,036
	10 mths. 1912	555,455	...	11,770	11,770
	" 1911	368,533	...	11,948	11,948
Onions	Oct. 1912	9,881	38	353	391
	" 1911	86	1,928	...	1,928
	10 mths. 1912	41,393	23,881	1,503	30,384
	" 1911	736	27,322	5	27,327
Ores (exclusive of Gold Ores the value of which is shown under "Gold Uncoined")	Oct. 1912	2,516	153,815	1,434	155,249
	" 1911	15,124	89,544	15	89,559
	10 mths. 1912	28,488	894,088	1,562	895,650
	" 1911	47,505	771,626	156	771,782
Paints, Colours & Varnishes	Oct. 1912	72,285	645	909	1,554
	" 1911	31,662	716	427	1,143
	10 mths. 1912	552,634	5,492	7,124	12,616
	" 1911	396,817	6,558	6,470	13,028
Paper—					
Printing	Oct. 1912	107,829	...	325	325
	" 1911	61,718	...	124	124
	10 mths. 1912	755,643	...	2,773	2,773
	" 1911	606,682	...	5,615	5,615



## VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Paper—All other	Oct. 1912	90,585	122	627	749
	" 1911	61,935	73	477	550
	10 mths. 1912	742,239	1,418	4,821	6,239
	" 1911	692,805	2,672	6,914	9,586
Pearlshell	Oct. 1912	...	55,825	...	55,825
	" 1911	...	62,949	360	63,309
	10 mths. 1912	12	424,687	2,175	426,862
	" 1911	78	237,106	3,678	240,784
Pickles and Sauces	Oct. 1912	16,780	146	185	331
	" 1911	9,045	90	50	140
	10 mths. 1912	142,335	1,281	857	2,138
	" 1911	109,090	773	689	1,462
Potatoes	Oct. 1912	61,473	274	1,202	1,476
	" 1911	405	764	46	810
	10 mths. 1912	147,625	10,297	3,586	13,883
	" 1911	1,661	11,170	68	11,238
Railway Material—Rails, Fish-plates, etc.	Oct. 1912	110,477	98	88	186
	" 1911	96,304	16	93	109
	10 mths. 1912	1,094,986	789	2,446	3,235
	" 1911	838,660	242	7,398	7,640
Silver—Bullion and Silver contained in Matte	Oct. 1912	929	74,326	675	75,001
	" 1911	24	60,330	1,673	62,003
	10 mths. 1912	5,375	682,721	8,295	691,016
	" 1911	3,250	569,421	1,697	571,118
Skins— Hides	Oct. 1912	12,282	116,252	...	116,252
	" 1911	9,982	58,773	...	58,773
	10 mths. 1912	115,940	764,213	...	764,213
	" 1911	126,710	490,170	13	490,183
Rabbit and Hare	Oct. 1912	201	62,795	...	62,795
	" 1911	170	58,130	...	58,130
	10 mths. 1912	609	517,536	...	517,536
	" 1911	1,275	451,284	...	451,284
Sheep	Oct. 1912	3,777	279,803	...	279,803
	" 1911	252	179,644	...	179,644
	10 mths. 1912	15,409	1,477,238	2	1,477,240
	" 1911	10,382	1,188,768	...	1,188,768
Other	Oct. 1912	4,214	133,582	...	133,582
	" 1911	2,629	85,457	...	85,457
	10 mths. 1912	47,895	558,108	264	558,372
	" 1911	18,804	385,008	297	385,305
Soap	Oct. 1912	13,920	7,095	621	7,716
	" 1911	9,518	4,709	331	5,040
	10 mths. 1912	114,633	69,624	3,494	73,118
	" 1911	86,002	58,590	3,260	61,850
Specie— Gold	Oct. 1912	12,290	301,036	69,242	370,278
	" 1911	650	1,705,036	165,866	1,870,902
	10 mths. 1912	40,338	8,860,167	1,044,291	9,904,458
	" 1911	19,984	5,821,707	1,328,247	7,149,954
Silver	Oct. 1912	...	...	10,792	10,792
	" 1911	22,160	...	1,070	1,070
	10 mths. 1912	277,396	...	36,818	36,818
	" 1911	351,115	...	12,407	12,407
Bronze	Oct. 1912	...	...	...	...
	" 1911	1,980	...	...	...
	10 mths. 1912	20,586	...	...	...
	" 1911	14,462	...	9	9



## VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Spirits—					
Brandy ...	Oct. 1912	19,813	126	320	446
	" 1911	12,590	97	116	213
	10 mths. 1912	84,112	939	2,153	3,092
	" 1911	145,643	727	924	1,651
Gin (including Schnapps)	Oct. 1912	16,354	...	93	93
	" 1911	11,491	...	197	197
	10 mths. 1912	147,312	...	1,459	1,459
	" 1911	129,927	...	1,743	1,743
Whisky ...	Oct. 1912	55,569	...	1,584	1,584
	" 1911	63,516	...	1,478	1,478
	10 mths. 1912	575,491	...	13,796	13,796
	" 1911	529,691	19	13,502	13,521
Rum ...	Oct. 1912	2,852	27	59	86
	" 1911	1,558	39	45	84
	10 mths. 1912	35,045	60	336	396
	" 1911	30,173	45	439	484
Other ...	Oct. 1912	26,592	1,164	483	1,647
	" 1911	14,756	1,861	434	2,295
	10 mths. 1912	154,033	12,777	6,126	18,903
	" 1911	125,574	12,965	8,816	21,781
Sugar ...	Oct. 1912	104,120	38	3,277	3,315
	" 1911	66,053	2,860	5,304	8,164
	10 mths. 1912	959,100	1,062	30,098	31,160
	" 1911	327,062	3,637	100,599	104,236
Tallow (export only)	Oct. 1912	...	148,600	298	148,898
	" 1911	...	192,036	37	192,073
	10 mths. 1912	...	1,286,339	1,176	1,287,515
	" 1911	...	1,583,573	720	1,584,293
Tea ...	Oct. 1912	118,781	...	7,853	7,853
	" 1911	150,135	...	5,255	5,255
	10 mths. 1912	1,107,003	...	58,998	58,998
	" 1911	1,082,099	...	63,464	63,464
Timber ...	Oct. 1912	323,720	84,457	1,676	86,133
	" 1911	278,638	86,501	1,828	88,329
	10 mths. 1912	2,377,752	731,767	17,700	749,467
	" 1911	2,427,828	822,661	19,349	842,010
Tin Ingots ...	Oct. 1912	...	78,322	...	78,322
	" 1911	...	65,759	...	65,759
	10 mths. 1912	657	618,913	...	618,913
	" 1911	767	633,329	...	633,329
Tinned Plates ...	Oct. 1912	43,260	...	...	...
	" 1911	29,579	8	...	8
	10 mths. 1912	443,507	...	696	696
	" 1911	408,850	8	1,532	1,540
Tobacco—					
Manufactured ...	Oct. 1912	19,580	8,274	5,152	13,426
	" 1911	11,412	13,818	2,829	16,647
	10 mths. 1912	166,982	65,814	37,222	103,036
	" 1911	140,068	57,812	36,050	93,862
Unmanufactured ...	Oct. 1912	75,108	...	193	193
	" 1911	8,263	...	239	239
	10 mths. 1912	505,884	...	1,736	1,736
	" 1911	455,456	...	2,584	2,584
Cigars ...	Oct. 1912	15,593	...	470	470
	" 1911	19,656	...	254	254
	10 mths. 1912	132,186	45	3,062	3,107
	" 1911	138,328	97	3,199	3,296

## VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Tobacco—		£	£	£	£
Cigarettes ...	Oct. 1912	4,506	257	40	297
	" 1911	3,442	136	87	223
	10 mths. 1912	43,458	1,742	1,035	2,777
	" 1911	38,127	1,375	783	2,153
Tools of Trade ...	Oct. 1912	56,208	159	1,364	1,523
	" 1911	44,216	29	858	887
	10 mths. 1912	584,893	1,448	11,059	12,507
	" 1911	546,413	1,530	11,810	13,340
Wine, Fermented—					
Sparkling ...	Oct. 1912	13,562	65	681	746
	" 1911	10,832	110	312	422
	10 mths. 1912	106,744	433	3,667	4,100
	" 1911	131,628	1,148	2,679	3,827
Other ...	Oct. 1912	2,944	10,658	270	10,928
	" 1911	1,642	10,410	97	10,507
	10 mths. 1912	26,604	88,060	2,384	90,444
	" 1911	24,303	118,200	1,616	119,816
Wool—					
Greasy ...	Oct. 1912	94	3,224,661	...	3,224,661
	" 1911	209	2,983,376	...	2,983,376
	10 mths. 1912	5,926	11,925,506	...	11,925,506
	" 1911	6,107	12,132,000	...	12,132,000
Scoured and Washed ...	Oct. 1912	...	388,448	...	388,448
	" 1911	15	383,805	...	383,805
	10 mths. 1912	300	3,136,661	...	3,136,661
	" 1911	2,429	3,725,400	...	3,725,400
All other Articles ...	Oct. 1912	2,093,471	416,811	100,818	517,629
	" 1911	1,258,275	421,914	41,386	463,300
	10 mths. 1912	15,086,048	3,370,358	625,339	3,995,697
	" 1911	12,019,100	3,513,175	511,166	4,024,341
GRAND TOTALS ...	Oct. 1912	7,660,470	7,959,239	285,972	8,245,211
	" 1911	5,262,280	8,839,280	289,982	9,129,262
	10 mths. 1912	65,057,812	56,556,062	2,523,592	59,079,654
	" 1911	54,919,097	55,980,381	2,714,964	58,695,345

**No. 14.—PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, AND DAIRY PRODUCE  
OF AUSTRALIAN ORIGIN EXPORTED FROM THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-1911.**

	Butter.	Flour.	Wheat.	Wool.		Mutton and Lamb.	Hides and Skins of all Kinds.
				Greasy.	Scoured.		

QUANTITY.

	lbs.	Tons.*	Bushels.†	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	
1901	34,536,277	96,814	20,260,058	385,191,184	66,368,855	54,175,093	...
1902	7,777,971	33,021	8,999,282	286,579,459	49,374,477	44,105,600	...
1903	30,901,910	6,097	1,172,838	263,419,710	61,143,320	35,753,124	...
1904	64,788,542	103,144	33,071,653	339,219,779	55,911,046	47,863,532	...
1905	55,904,151	154,219	24,648,182	380,420,424	56,775,423	86,858,344	...
1906	75,765,536	166,875	30,262,335	415,353,590	64,889,295	90,692,385	...
1907	66,076,915	163,437	28,784,130	512,756,895	72,318,065	109,227,757	...
1908	51,193,311	116,803	15,027,888	471,832,275	70,915,494	91,607,614	...
1909	55,644,925	129,969	31,549,498	529,020,213	76,082,419	116,915,639	...
1910	87,894,943	139,946	44,761,895	587,090,469	78,178,300	190,229,330	...
1911	101,722,136	175,891	55,147,840	578,823,623	70,770,640	129,569,295	...

\* 2000 lbs.    † 60 lbs.

VALUE.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	1,447,882	589,604	2,774,643	11,673,176	3,561,528	726,186	1,251,675
1902	379,244	266,675	1,402,883	9,595,482	3,147,531	543,422	1,948,139
1903	1,213,177	61,199	181,355	9,600,599	4,396,634	489,934	1,703,037
1904	2,460,664	792,722	5,240,590	13,139,941	3,975,393	657,361	1,335,066
1905	2,331,595	1,160,813	4,174,128	15,574,516	4,247,700	1,111,969	2,144,682
1906	3,238,304	1,216,806	4,913,798	17,547,037	5,098,732	1,095,120	2,752,607
1907	2,890,261	1,296,252	4,801,722	22,928,011	5,963,819	1,377,502	2,782,805
1908	2,386,548	1,034,391	3,089,591	18,027,930	4,885,730	1,219,107	2,195,053
1909	2,399,693	1,229,481	6,628,683	20,603,450	4,879,660	1,231,035	3,160,008
1910	3,951,131	1,244,165	9,933,561	23,439,098	5,338,089	2,161,513	3,949,614
1911	4,637,362	1,391,529	9,641,608	21,394,798	4,676,395	1,633,622	3,227,236





## FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Ten months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom ...	10,925	460,283	...	163,637	77,154	...	711,099	464,663
Africa—Portuguese East ...	...	37,602	...	35,471	...	...	73,073	151,988
Ceylon ...	392	16,014	...	44,520	2,580	...	63,506	50,810
China ...	21,223	7,652	...	...	...	...	28,875	26,552
Cochin China ...	9,028	...	...	...	...	...	9,028	15,825
Dutch East Indies—								
Celebes ...	13,616	14,674	139	794	...	...	29,223	20,746
Java ...	114,290	116,857	...	237,206	31,461	...	499,814	552,973
Sumatra ...	13,033	15,536	...	20,394	2,107	...	51,070	51,721
Other Islands ...	14,550	23,509	56	...	...	...	38,115	27,458
Egypt ...	150	27,832	...	31,887	42,728	...	102,597	55,829
Hong Kong ...	27,754	9,000	...	...	...	...	36,754	105,767
India ...	173	26,895	...	...	1,506	...	28,574	20,351
Islands of the Pacific—								
Fiji ...	28,924	11,605	...	...	...	...	40,529	32,630
New Caledonia ...	57,420	10,400	...	...	...	...	67,820	70,257
New Hebrides ...	4,494	...	...	...	...	...	4,494	3,461
Other Islands ...	33,489	178	2	...	...	...	33,669	28,281
New Zealand ...	11,734	31,419	...	...	...	...	43,153	52,089
Papua ...	7,208	70	604	...	...	...	7,882	5,759
Philippine Islands ...	161,167	101,686	...	...	...	...	262,793	230,134
South African Union ...	460	187,615	...	180,041	5,677	...	373,793	588,494
Straits Settlements ...	80,983	85,759	...	57,795	43,289	...	267,826	350,744
Other Countries ...	10,017	26,296	53	8,792	24,622	...	69,780	92,014
Total ten months, 1912	620,130	1,210,822	854	780,537	231,124	...	2,843,467	...
"  "  1911	667,840	1,415,743	1,518	787,952	125,433	...	...	2,998,486

## FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Ten months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	4,940	200,723	...	69,040	30,133	...	304,836	179,777
Africa—Portuguese East ...	...	16,732	...	14,343	...	...	31,075	56,922
Ceylon ...	162	6,740	...	17,450	971	...	25,323	18,835
China ...	9,824	3,205	...	...	...	...	13,029	10,655
Cochin China ...	3,486	...	...	...	...	...	3,486	6,204
Dutch East Indies—								
Celebes ...	6,353	6,390	55	303	...	...	13,101	8,381
Java ...	51,993	52,992	...	99,638	11,894	...	216,487	211,315
Sumatra ...	6,224	7,156	...	8,824	833	...	23,037	21,154
Other Islands ...	7,262	11,304	25	...	...	...	18,591	11,726
Egypt ...	75	12,400	...	14,087	17,069	...	43,631	23,371
Hong Kong ...	12,333	3,786	...	...	...	...	16,119	41,341
India ...	84	12,314	...	...	609	...	13,007	8,139
Islands in the Pacific—								
Fiji ...	12,421	4,744	...	...	...	...	17,165	13,018
New Caledonia ...	24,443	3,692	...	...	...	...	28,135	28,054
New Hebrides ...	2,096	...	...	...	...	...	2,096	1,461
Other Islands ...	15,208	80	2	...	...	...	15,290	11,560
New Zealand ...	4,919	12,674	...	...	...	...	17,593	19,958
Papua ...	3,337	33	373	...	...	...	3,743	2,553
Philippine Islands ...	76,327	43,262	...	...	...	...	119,589	95,088
South African Union ...	185	79,300	...	72,493	2,468	...	154,446	223,718
Straits Settlements ...	37,309	37,953	...	23,792	17,156	...	116,210	140,992
Other Countries ...	4,449	11,550	26	3,793	10,593	...	30,411	38,609
Total ten months, 1912	283,430	527,000	481	323,763	91,726	...	1,226,400	...
"  "  1911	276,589	549,728	572	299,308	46,634	...	...	1,172,831

## WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Ten months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom ...	3,929,761	2,770,624	...	6,185,689	238,324	...	13,124,398	19,841,872
Belgium ...	314,512	174,318	...	288,658	19,893	...	797,381	806,234
Canary Islands ...	134,072	1,671,894	...	58,386	...	...	1,864,352	2,757,457
Egypt ...	...	...	...	256,793	...	...	256,793	5,355
France ...	28,433	3,831	...	...	...	...	32,264	3,281,386
Germany ...	270,786	42,168	...	20,951	...	...	333,905	79,208
Italy ...	22,178	194,054	...	20,116	...	...	236,348	...
Japan ...	222	...	...	25,308	...	...	25,530	59,736
Madeira ...	...	...	...	45,519	...	...	45,519	375,943
Peru ...	67,523	221,493	...	382,743	...	...	671,759	706,458
Russia ...	138,518	...	...	...	...	...	138,518	...
South African Union ...	700	113,903	...	640,898	14,809	...	770,310	1,359,266
Other Countries ...	25,312	1,889	11	44,671	...	...	71,883	*369,146
Total ten months, 1912	4,932,017	5,194,174	11	7,969,732	273,026	...	18,368,960	...
" " 1911	6,476,930	11,305,441	9	10,520,908	1,338,773	...	...	29,642,061

\* Includes Chile, 286,544 centals.

## WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Ten months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	1,260,698	941,356	...	2,007,452	80,123	...	4,289,629	5,761,788
Belgium ...	101,522	59,362	...	95,312	6,769	...	262,965	233,274
Canary Islands ...	52,372	523,959	...	18,246	...	...	594,577	806,536
Egypt ...	...	...	...	85,970	...	...	85,970	1,623
France ...	9,716	1,197	...	...	...	...	10,913	955,012
Germany ...	91,683	16,873	...	6,784	...	...	115,340	23,460
Italy ...	7,855	68,851	...	6,913	...	...	83,619	...
Japan ...	75	...	...	7,769	...	...	7,844	17,211
Madeira ...	...	...	...	15,647	...	...	15,647	108,633
Peru ...	22,508	75,983	...	120,613	...	...	219,104	207,141
Russia ...	42,324	...	...	...	...	...	42,324	...
South African Union ...	220	32,516	...	216,563	4,914	...	254,213	390,443
Other Countries ...	8,744	741	6	16,295	...	...	25,786	*106,524
Total ten months, 1912	1,597,717	1,720,838	6	2,597,564	91,806	...	6,007,931	...
" " 1911	1,903,875	3,334,003	4	2,986,867	386,896	...	...	8,611,645

\* Includes Chile, £80,737.

## WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Ten months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
United Kingdom ...	38,408,004	38,531,797	18,402,085	14,402,316	15,760,816	3,857,586	129,362,604	140,387,658
Austria-Hungary ...	2,325,289	...	860,562	...	...	...	3,185,851	47,911
Belgium ...	20,011,601	4,528,618	5,829,866	1,695,148	173,350	182,456	32,421,039	32,836,826
Canada ...	...	34,536	...	...	...	...	34,536	...
France ...	39,104,448	17,235,991	9,731,815	6,228,313	...	720,941	73,021,508	85,515,822
Germany ...	40,575,131	10,464,900	9,699,973	2,555,719	...	407,071	63,702,194	59,511,323
Hong Kong ...	1,100	...	...	...	...	...	1,100	...
India ...	...	332,394	...	...	...	...	332,394	417,672
Italy ...	477,336	162,035	285,211	10,121	...	...	934,703	2,025,373
Japan ...	6,170,190	60,297	698,786	...	...	...	6,929,273	2,326,638
Netherlands ...	...	30,408	...	...	36,614	84,932	151,954	154,637
New Zealand ...	43,813	58,834	...	...	...	...	102,647	52,026
Norway ...	...	1,389	...	...	...	...	1,389	...
Russia ...	529,939	...	8,640	...	...	...	538,579	...
Spain ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,028
Switzerland ...	17,569	...	...	...	...	...	17,569	...
United States ...	2,269,945	2,305,527	629,129	29,994	...	230,817	5,465,412	3,040,934
Total ten months, 1912	149,934,865	73,746,126	46,146,067	24,921,611	15,970,780	5,463,803	316,202,752	...
" " 1911	163,740,182	63,900,292	53,834,471	26,764,560	12,108,018	5,774,335	...	326,121,848



## WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Ten months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	1,444,920	1,610,676	759,072	508,626	564,861	154,082	5,042,237	5,465,398
Austria-Hungary ...	94,401	...	38,914	...	...	...	133,315	1,906
Belgium ...	718,417	153,133	222,346	60,219	3,040	8,374	1,165,529	1,174,396
Canada ...	...	1,740	...	...	...	...	1,740	...
France ...	1,363,829	568,391	350,419	219,383	...	23,570	2,525,592	2,894,581
Germany ...	1,576,384	332,775	385,286	91,651	...	14,791	2,400,887	2,249,505
Hong Kong ...	23	...	...	...	...	...	23	...
India ...	...	12,703	...	...	...	...	12,703	16,705
Italy ...	17,664	5,552	10,660	382	...	...	34,258	75,575
Japan ...	271,371	2,544	29,975	...	...	...	303,890	97,247
Netherlands ...	...	873	...	...	310	4,789	5,972	4,889
New Zealand ...	1,701	2,303	...	...	...	...	4,004	2,190
Norway ...	...	67	...	...	...	...	67	...
Russia ...	25,018	...	362	...	...	...	25,380	...
Spain ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100
Switzerland ...	853	...	...	...	...	...	853	...
United States ...	112,188	113,326	31,145	1,360	...	10,537	269,056	149,608
Total ten months, 1912	5,626,769	2,804,583	1,828,179	881,621	568,211	216,143	11,925,506	...
" " 1911	6,004,474	2,422,607	2,133,829	894,491	441,290	235,309	...	12,132,000

## WOOL, SCOURED (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE), EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Ten months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
United Kingdom ¶	9,473,710	4,743,911	5,462,162	2,124,319	107,640	8,100	21,919,842	28,848,357
Austria-Hungary ...	14,339	...	19,093	...	...	...	33,432	962
Belgium ...	2,835,565	235,639	1,353,348	11,087	887	...	4,436,526	5,991,157
China ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,480
France ...	7,235,249	1,326,941	1,515,245	412,618	...	...	10,490,053	11,211,953
Germany ...	5,138,255	721,252	1,865,809	7,467	...	...	7,732,783	9,571,245
India ...	120,597	26,440	...	...	...	...	47,037	27,188
Italy ...	159,160	11,031	83,120	...	...	...	253,311	322,113
Japan ...	2,444,809	...	...	...	...	...	2,444,809	1,127,254
Netherlands ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,700
New Zealand ...	9,726	33,201	...	...	...	...	42,927	2,934
Russia ...	155,496	...	53,160	...	...	...	208,656	...
South African Union ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	120
United States ...	...	49,849	...	...	...	...	49,849	...
Total ten months, 1912	27,486,906	7,148,264	10,351,937	2,555,491	108,527	8,100	47,659,225	...
" " 1911	31,524,567	7,672,150	15,915,879	1,859,725	137,265	3,877	...	57,113,463

¶ Includes 74,850 lbs. "Tops." \* Includes 75,695 lbs. "Tops." + Includes 17,463 lbs. "Tops."

‡ "Tops." || Includes 27,927 lbs. "Tops." § Includes 2,412,405 lbs. "Tops."

## WOOL, SCOURED (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Ten months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	£572,029	279,377	416,278	123,396	2,645	342	1,394,067	1,874,434
Austria-Hungary ...	1,049	...	1,399	...	...	...	2,448	37
Belgium ...	*164,035	11,251	96,498	523	19	...	272,326	355,273
China ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	560
France ...	427,973	63,171	98,468	16,778	...	...	606,390	651,656
Germany ...	+368,973	38,772	148,594	332	...	...	556,671	690,021
India ...	12,276	1,350	...	...	...	...	3,626	1,592
Italy ...	12,058	962	5,521	...	...	...	18,541	25,520
Japan ...	\$259,377	...	...	...	...	...	259,377	125,998
Netherlands ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	93
New Zealand ...	600	1,821	...	...	...	...	2,421	210
Russia ...	13,574	...	4,846	...	...	...	18,420	...
South African Union ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
United States ...	...	2,374	...	...	...	...	2,374	...
Total ten months, 1912	1,821,944	399,078	771,604	141,029	2,664	342	3,136,661	...
" " 1911	2,027,777	463,374	1,118,793	109,224	6,063	169	...	3,725,400

¶ Includes £8128 "Tops." \* Includes £7657 "Tops." + Includes £2074 "Tops." † "Tops."

|| Includes £3163 "Tops." § Includes £256,937 "Tops."

## No. 16.—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE.

**STATEMENT** shewing the Gross Revenue from Customs and Excise, under the Sixteen Tariff Divisions, and the Total Net Revenue collected, during the Month of October, 1912 and 1911, during the first Ten Months of the same years, and during Four Months of the Financial Years 1912-13 and 1911-12.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.  
(Subject to Revision.)

Division.	October.		Ten months of		Four months of Financial Year.	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912-13.	1911-12.
<b>CUSTOMS.</b>						
1. Ales, Spirits, and Beverages	£ 235,684	£ 211,081	£ 2,338,398	£ 2,213,137	£ 987,936	£ 927,149
2. Tobacco, and Manufactures thereof	117,156	113,923	1,194,298	1,084,825	497,403	460,344
3. Sugar...	43,900	6,862	419,276	149,763	218,157	65,530
4. Agricultural Products and Groceries	119,294	68,396	925,931	703,916	392,951	293,499
5. Textiles, etc., and Attire	170,020	140,717	2,241,342	1,916,118	885,070	798,152
6. Metals and Machinery	164,333	110,726	1,423,538	1,135,638	561,945	455,943
7. Oils, Paints, and Varnishes	34,391	21,216	266,892	211,436	113,844	93,658
8. Earthenware, etc.	51,707	28,671	357,338	288,162	166,833	120,555
9. Drugs and Chemicals	11,396	7,627	93,100	80,600	39,308	34,314
10. Wood, Wicker, and Cane	57,617	43,714	445,423	414,860	191,522	167,565
11. Jewellery & Fancy Goods	36,474	32,844	260,272	232,215	129,149	120,271
12. Leather and Rubber	43,638	25,719	384,226	266,526	153,913	104,651
13. Paper and Stationery	30,713	21,263	201,131	182,954	90,951	82,309
14. Vehicles	32,721	14,924	283,847	152,167	108,413	61,147
15. Musical Instruments	16,271	12,108	166,303	103,811	67,897	50,112
16. Miscellaneous	42,824	30,076	282,747	229,236	135,251	107,385
Other Miscellaneous Receipts	4,544	3,318	37,772	33,576	15,396	12,711
<b>Total Customs</b>	<b>1,212,683</b>	<b>893,185</b>	<b>11,321,824</b>	<b>9,398,940</b>	<b>4,755,439</b>	<b>3,955,295</b>
<b>EXCISE.</b>						
Beer	62,029	57,182	550,046	494,860	198,449	188,884
Spirits	31,419	29,520	339,584	304,231	142,978	130,370
Sugar	53,789	63,895	511,069	657,299	161,817	249,900
Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff	71,743	59,189	689,097	611,417	295,443	267,432
Licences, etc.	311	198	4,185	4,550	808	1,093
<b>Total Excise</b>	<b>219,291</b>	<b>209,984</b>	<b>2,093,981</b>	<b>2,072,357</b>	<b>799,495</b>	<b>837,679</b>
<b>Total Gross Customs and Excise Collections</b>	<b>1,431,974</b>	<b>1,103,169</b>	<b>13,415,805</b>	<b>11,471,297</b>	<b>5,554,934</b>	<b>4,792,974</b>
<b>Drawbacks and Repayments</b>	<b>33,555</b>	<b>26,988</b>	<b>304,636</b>	<b>246,666</b>	<b>116,989</b>	<b>89,909</b>
<b>TOTAL NET REVENUE</b>	<b>1,398,419</b>	<b>1,076,181</b>	<b>13,111,169</b>	<b>11,224,631</b>	<b>5,437,945</b>	<b>4,703,065</b>

## Section III.—Production.

## No. 17.—PRINCIPAL CROPS IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-12.

## AREA UNDER CROPS.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.	Total under Crops.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1901-2 ...	5,115,965	461,430	294,849	1,688,402	132,840	8,414,054
1907-8 ...	5,383,911	642,815	299,579	1,812,579	144,763	9,353,902
1908-9 ...	5,262,473	676,156	323,875	2,452,682	140,883	9,891,243
1909-10 ...	6,586,236	698,448	364,585	2,228,029	142,261	10,972,299
1910-11 ...	7,372,456	676,688	414,914	2,258,405	155,542	11,893,838
1911-12 ...	7,427,834	616,857	340,065	2,518,288	144,283	12,107,017

## TOTAL YIELD.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.		
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.
1901-2 ...	38,561,619	9,789,854	7,034,786	2,024,608	1,367,802
1907-8 ...	44,655,673	9,185,227	8,137,745	1,748,858	1,942,418
1908-9 ...	62,590,996	16,248,857	8,655,279	3,137,374	1,578,075
1909-10 ...	90,413,597	14,734,868	10,770,648	3,153,196	1,294,575
1910-11 ...	95,111,983	15,428,456	13,044,081	3,176,391	2,000,758
1911-12 ...	71,636,347	9,561,771	9,039,855	2,868,032	1,682,250

## AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE.

	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.*
1901-2 ...	7.54	21.22	23.86	1.20	15.73
1907-8 ...	8.29	14.29	27.16	0.96	18.62
1908-9 ...	11.89	24.03	26.72	1.28	15.91
1909-10 ...	13.73	21.10	29.54	1.42	14.95
1910-11 ...	12.90	22.80	31.44	1.41	19.96
1911-12 ...	9.64	15.50	26.58	1.14	16.65

\* Per acre of productive cane.

## AREA UNDER WHEAT—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-12.

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1901-2	1,392,070	1,754,417	87,232	1,743,452	94,710	44,084	...	5,115,965
1907-8	1,390,171	1,847,121	82,461	1,753,755	279,609	30,794	...	5,383,911
1908-9	1,394,056	1,779,905	80,898	1,693,501	285,011	29,102	...	5,262,473
1909-10	1,990,180	2,097,162	117,160	1,895,738	448,918	37,078	...	6,586,236
1910-11	2,128,826	2,398,089	106,718	2,104,717	581,862	52,242	2	7,372,456
1911-12	*2,380,710	2,164,066	42,962	2,190,782	612,104	37,208	2	7,427,834

\* Including 742 acres Federal Capital Territory.



## TOTAL YIELD OF WHEAT—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-12.

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1901-2	14,838,705	12,127,382	1,692,222	8,012,762	956,886	963,662	...	38,561,619
1907-8	9,155,884	12,100,780	693,527	19,135,557	2,925,690	644,235	...	44,655,673
1908-9	15,483,276	23,345,649	1,202,799	19,397,672	2,460,823	700,777	...	62,590,996
1909-10	28,532,029	28,780,100	1,571,589	25,133,851	5,602,368	793,660	...	90,413,597
1910-11	27,913,547	34,813,019	1,022,373	24,344,740	5,897,540	1,120,744	20	95,111,983
1911-12	*25,088,102	20,891,877	285,109	20,352,720	4,358,904	659,615	20	71,636,347

\* Including 7991 bushels Federal Capital Territory.

## AVERAGE YIELD OF WHEAT PER ACRE—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-12.

	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1901-2	10.64	6.91	19.40	4.60	10.10	21.86	...	7.54
1907-8	6.59	6.55	8.41	10.91	10.46	20.92	...	8.29
1908-9	11.11	13.12	14.87	11.45	8.63	24.08	...	11.89
1909-10	14.34	13.72	13.41	13.26	12.48	21.41	...	13.73
1910-11	13.11	14.52	9.58	11.57	10.14	21.45	10.00	12.90
1911-12	10.54	9.65	6.64	9.29	7.12	17.73	10.00	9.64

## No. 18.—NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL LIVE STOCK—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-11.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
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## SHEEP.

1901	...	41,857,099	10,673,265	10,030,971	5,012,216	2,625,855	1,792,481	48,324	72,040,211
1907	...	44,461,839	14,146,734	16,738,047	6,829,637	3,684,974	1,744,800	44,232	87,650,263
1908	...	43,370,797	12,545,742	13,348,851	6,898,451	4,097,324	1,728,053	54,048	87,043,266
1909	...	46,202,578	12,937,983	19,593,791	6,432,038	4,731,737	1,734,761	43,393	91,676,281
1910	...	45,560,969	12,882,665	20,331,838	6,267,477	5,158,516	1,788,310	57,240	92,047,015
1911	...	*44,947,287	13,857,804	20,740,981	6,171,907	5,411,542	1,823,017	50,983	93,003,521

## CATTLE.

1901	...	2,047,454	1,623,282	3,772,707	225,256	398,547	168,661	255,521	8,491,428
1907	...	2,751,193	1,842,807	3,892,232	334,671	717,377	215,523	374,683	10,128,486
1908	...	2,955,934	1,574,162	4,321,600	340,376	741,788	205,827	407,992	10,547,679
1909	...	3,027,727	1,549,640	4,711,782	344,034	793,217	199,945	414,046	11,040,391
1910	...	3,140,307	1,547,569	5,131,699	384,862	825,040	201,854	513,383	11,744,714
1911	...	*3,194,236	1,647,127	5,073,201	393,566	843,638	217,406	459,780	11,828,954

## HORSES.

1901	...	486,716	387,277	462,119	165,303	73,710	32,399	12,896	1,620,420
1907	...	578,326	424,648	488,486	208,639	113,390	40,392	17,893	1,871,714
1908	...	591,045	424,903	519,969	213,385	116,795	39,883	21,751	1,927,731
1909	...	604,784	442,829	555,613	230,405	125,315	40,492	23,479	2,022,917
1910	...	650,636	472,080	593,813	249,326	134,114	41,388	24,509	2,165,866
1911	...	*689,004	507,813	618,954	259,719	140,277	41,853	21,407	2,279,027

## PIGS.

1901	...	265,730	334,285	121,641	88,886	61,052	58,716	989	931,309
1907	...	216,145	211,002	133,246	90,741	53,399	46,704	2,864	754,101
1908	...	215,822	179,358	124,749	78,454	46,652	47,943	2,711	695,689
1909	...	237,849	217,921	124,803	80,410	47,062	55,705	1,387	765,137
1910	...	321,632	333,281	152,212	96,386	57,628	63,715	996	1,025,850
1911	...	*371,093	348,069	173,902	93,130	55,635	67,392	1,500	1,110,721

\* Including Federal Capital Territory, 224,764 sheep, 8412 cattle, 1762 horses and 393 Pigs.

**No. 19.—WOOL (AS IN THE GREASE) PRODUCED—STATES AND  
COMMONWEALTH, 1901-11.**

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	313,812,284	86,786,834	72,405,110	44,294,864	15,304,648	10,270,199	257,722	543,131,661
1907	375,224,448	120,017,787	104,173,964	57,530,794	22,013,541	10,878,478	*	690,139,012
1908	344,550,707	93,999,156	115,283,309	52,040,731	22,450,624	13,859,755	*	642,184,282
1909	379,388,356	112,102,445	127,531,834	56,415,539	30,045,360	12,550,598	*	718,037,132
1910	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	792,868,466
1911	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	769,784,895

\* Not available owing to the Department of Trade and Customs having discontinued the record of Interstate Trade.

**No. 20.—PRINCIPAL DAIRY PRODUCE—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH,  
1901-11.**

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
BUTTER.								
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	39,056,878	46,857,572	9,741,882	4,954,523	336,440	723,771	...	101,671,066
1907	60,041,429	63,746,354	22,789,158	8,519,340	436,529	847,860	...	156,380,670
1908	61,380,876	48,461,398	23,838,357	8,130,560	365,593	3,140,573	...	145,317,357
1909	62,865,608	55,166,555	24,592,711	8,482,168	414,453	2,751,757	...	154,273,252
1910	76,624,830	70,603,787	31,258,333	10,717,486	641,491	3,365,982	...	193,211,909
1911	*83,208,568	86,500,474	27,858,535	9,694,666	498,047	3,817,455	...	211,577,745

**CHEESE.**

	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	3,838,835	3,974,668	2,436,912	1,053,160	3,578	268,539	...	11,575,692
1907	4,586,857	4,397,909	2,684,538	1,385,790	580	327,539	...	13,383,563
1908	4,763,360	4,328,644	3,199,510	1,556,894	980	910,400	...	14,759,788
1909	4,775,268	5,025,534	3,662,497	1,578,373	1,570	731,290	...	15,774,837
1910	5,191,089	4,590,893	4,146,661	1,796,281	3,306	868,781	...	16,537,011
1911	5,460,652	4,549,843	3,718,257	1,526,930	900	630,130	...	15,886,712

**BACON AND HAMS.**

	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	11,080,891	15,011,616	7,064,714	...	333,393	530,015	...	34,020,629
1907	10,358,526	17,545,720	10,015,008	2,311,004	209,419	279,504	...	40,719,181
1908	9,488,299	14,411,401	11,324,323	3,392,162	152,896	1,333,856	...	40,102,937
1909	9,931,377	13,620,485	9,238,317	3,348,050	120,623	1,526,115	...	37,774,967
1910	12,620,067	16,438,837	10,758,963	3,741,942	121,154	1,468,789	...	45,149,752
1911	*16,102,827	19,546,772	11,667,654	4,311,497	97,136	1,538,766	...	53,264,652

\* Including Federal Capital Territory, Butter 31,630 lbs., bacon and hams 22,670 lbs.

**No. 21.—VALUE OF PRINCIPAL MINERALS PRODUCED—STATES AND  
COMMONWEALTH, 1901-11.**

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
GOLD.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	737,164	3,102,753	2,541,764	34,741	7,235,653	295,176	58,481	14,005,739
1907	1,050,730	2,954,617	1,978,938	20,540	7,210,749	277,597	21,928	13,515,109
1908	954,854	2,849,838	1,975,554	12,300	6,999,882	242,482	23,943	13,058,583
1909	869,546	2,778,956	1,935,178	30,206	6,776,274	190,201	24,148	12,604,509
1910	802,211	2,422,745	1,874,955	28,000	6,246,848	157,370	21,711	11,553,840
1911	769,353	2,140,855	1,640,323	15,000	5,823,075	132,108	30,910	10,551,624

**SILVER AND LEAD.**

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	1,954,964	6,550	69,234	3,196	7,718	325,335	690	2,367,687
1907	4,290,128	4,355	187,870	11,780	26,674	572,560	2,093	5,095,460
1908	2,346,941	2,835	206,716	9,000	23,883	322,007	30	2,911,412
1909	1,839,688	2,310	167,636	673	19,977	298,880	...	2,329,164
1910	2,110,040	2,090	125,086	907	20,210	247,576	...	2,503,909
1911	2,652,548	2,135	79,765	140	33,335	253,361	...	3,021,284

# PRODUCTION.

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Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
COPPER.								
1901	£ 412,292	£ ...	£ 194,227	£ 493,962	£ 75,246	£ 1,026,748	£ 6,115	£ 2,208,590
1907	727,774	2,356	1,028,179	690,000	203,376	869,666	15,031	3,536,382
1908	502,812	3,928	893,535	338,000	57,091	609,651	7,968	2,412,985
1909	424,737	44	853,196	338,587	104,644	608,038	3,742	2,332,988
1910	486,257	450	932,489	306,120	95,928	566,972	1,196	2,389,412
1911	590,102	2,088	1,151,351	332,500	78,118	408,649	1,470	2,564,278

## TIN.

1901	76,544	4,181	93,723	...	40,000	212,542	5,586	432,576
1907	293,305	10,531	496,766	...	166,139	501,681	41,365	1,509,787
1908	205,447	6,070	341,566	...	83,595	421,580	35,876	1,094,134
1909	211,029	7,067	244,927	...	65,959	418,165	32,741	979,888
1910	228,156	3,706	243,271	...	45,129	399,393	31,113	950,768
1911	307,089	3,417	307,847	...	55,220	513,500	22,900	1,209,973

## COAL.

1901	2,178,929	147,228	189,877	...	68,561	18,175	...	2,602,770
1907	2,932,419	79,706	222,135	...	55,158	23,556	...	3,302,974
1908	3,353,093	64,778	244,922	...	75,694	24,427	...	3,762,914
1909	2,618,596	76,945	270,726	...	90,965	26,464	...	3,083,696
1910	3,009,657	189,254	322,822	...	113,699	48,609	...	3,684,041
1911	3,167,165	301,142	323,998	...	111,154	26,214	...	3,929,673

## ALL MINERALS.

1901	5,679,362	3,262,212	3,114,574	658,408	7,444,772	1,883,776	*	22,043,104
1907	10,292,119	3,086,812	4,131,603	814,220	8,346,066	2,250,658	91,868	28,301,346
1908	8,381,516	2,963,047	3,840,248	457,900	7,245,003	1,622,547	70,042	24,580,303
1909	7,406,940	2,900,624	3,655,198	413,390	7,059,052	1,545,222	64,736	23,045,162
1910	8,449,919	2,629,701	3,708,547	411,862	6,522,263	1,432,193	60,706	23,215,191
1911	9,405,301	2,463,865	3,658,738	437,604	6,105,853	1,349,497	59,353	23,480,211

\* Included with South Australia.

## No. 22.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1907-11.

Year.	No. of Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Salaries and Wages Paid.	Value of Plant and Machinery.	Value of Materials Used.	Value added by Manufacture.	Value of Output.
1907	12,555	248,859	18,323,977	24,686,108	52,542,012*	34,515,153*	87,057,165*
1908	12,853	257,494	19,884,367	25,927,763	59,399,226*	37,262,405*	96,661,631*
1909	13,197	266,405	21,105,456	26,877,242	65,193,240	42,216,493	107,409,733
1910	13,822	286,963	23,870,540	28,950,700	72,796,236	48,063,922	120,860,158
1911	14,455	311,772	27,531,876	31,599,209	79,041,576	54,144,984	133,186,560

\* Exclusive of Western Australia and Tasmania in 1907, and of Tasmania in 1908.

## No. 23.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1911.

Heading.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'sland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	C'wealth.
No. of establishments	5,039	5,126	1,657	1,314	710	609	14,455
Hands employed	108,664	111,948	37,156	27,907	15,799	10,298	311,772
Wages paid*	10,051,161	8,911,019	3,113,835	2,645,386	1,982,883	827,592	27,531,876
Value of lands & buildings	13,474,455	9,921,520	3,277,776	2,954,855	1,819,342	1,050,987	32,498,935
" plant & machinery	12,510,600	8,336,373	4,947,259	2,506,000	2,082,777	1,216,200	31,599,209
" materials used	33,702,391	25,029,525	8,788,335	7,509,739	2,059,346	1,952,240	79,041,576
" fuel used	1,242,613	637,497	222,560	332,805	176,659	140,816	2,752,950
" added	20,643,620	16,718,338	6,887,327	5,071,112	3,251,740	1,572,847	54,144,984
" of output	54,346,011	41,747,863	15,675,662	12,580,851	5,311,086	3,525,087	133,186,560

\* Exclusive of amount drawn by working proprietors.



**No. 24.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—VALUE ADDED BY PROCESSES  
OF MANUFACTURE—COMMONWEALTH, 1908-11.**

	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
	£	£	£	£
Treating raw materials, product of agricultural and pastoral, etc., pursuits ...	1,488,232	1,820,172	1,863,173	1,807,869
Treating oils and fats ...	496,036	549,529	564,356	634,831
Processes in stone, clay, glass, etc. ...	1,604,243	1,714,566	1,982,412	2,435,196
Working in wood ...	2,739,002	3,256,980	3,711,482	4,488,119
Metal works, machinery, etc. ...	7,999,872	9,125,941	10,642,583	12,031,410
Connected with food and drink, etc. ...	8,183,601	9,472,702	10,880,641	11,815,841
Clothing and textile fabrics, etc. ...	5,088,860	5,762,227	6,583,300	7,493,708
Books, paper, printing and engraving ...	3,224,090	3,581,457	3,868,693	4,244,632
Musical instruments, etc. ...	77,975	70,943	89,147	106,293
Arms and explosives ...	59,256	53,313	63,897	61,001
Vehicles & fittings, saddlery, harness, etc. ...	1,240,730	1,344,976	1,595,768	1,755,717
Ship and boat building and repairing ...	341,758	325,792	347,064	465,019
Furniture, bedding and upholstery ...	832,352	944,785	1,105,002	1,333,102
Drugs, chemicals and by-products ...	736,664	822,866	970,663	1,066,329
Surgical and other scientific instruments ...	29,906	29,770	34,415	42,019
Jewellery, timepieces and platedware ...	265,795	281,422	310,943	361,455
Heat, light and power... ..	2,464,355	2,646,611	2,945,695	3,371,916
Leatherware, n.e.i. ...	96,065	109,558	134,934	167,953
Minor wares, n.e.i. ...	293,613	302,883	369,754	462,574
	37,262,405*	42,216,493	48,063,922	54,144,984

\* Exclusive of Tasmania.

**No. 25.—ESTIMATED VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION, 1906-11.**

Year.	Agricultural.	Pastoral.	Dairy, Poultry, and Bee Farming.	Forestry & Fisheries.	Mining.	Manufacturing. (a)	Total.
	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.
1906 ...	25,349	45,389	13,611	4,879	26,622	(b)	(b)
1907 ...	30,500	50,660	15,584	4,826	28,301	(b)	(b)
1908 ...	37,150	47,259	15,045	4,286	24,580	36,637	164,957
1909 ...	41,056	50,864	15,064	4,462	23,039	40,018	174,503
1910 ...	39,752	56,993	17,387	4,789	23,215	45,598	187,734
1911 ...	38,774	50,725	19,107	5,728	23,480	50,931	188,745

(a) These amounts differ from those given in the preceding table owing to certain products which are there included having been included in Dairy Farming and Forestry in this Table.

(b) Full particulars not available.

# Section IV.—Finance.

## No. 26.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

### RECEIPTS.

Source of Revenue.	1901-2.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.	1911-2.	1912-3. Trea- surer's Estimate
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Customs ... ..	7,669,970	8,626,521	9,505,855	10,507,080	12,071,514	12,209,000
Excise ... ..	1,224,349	2,217,546	2,087,310	2,473,364	2,638,685	2,302,000
Land Tax ... ..	...	...	...	1,370,345	1,366,454	1,300,000
Post, Telegraph, and Telephone ...	2,372,861	3,409,425	3,731,741	3,906,015	3,916,599	4,202,000
Patents, Trade Marks, etc. ...	...	21,478	21,435	26,560	24,720	26,000
Defence ... ..	10,657	5,024	21,847	57,520	74,301	45,000
Northern Territory ... ..	...	...	...	*162,034	31,009	32,000
Coinage ... ..	...	...	69,646	198,893	156,489	150,000
Other Receipts ... ..	19,148	70,799	102,835	104,426	266,590	156,000
Total Revenue ... ..	11,296,985	14,350,793	15,540,669	18,806,237	20,546,361	20,422,000
Per head of population ... ..	£ s. d. 2 19 0	£ s. d. 3 7 10	£ s. d. 3 11 11	£ s. d. 4 5 0	£ s. d. 4 9 11	£ s. d. 4 6 6

\* Includes £151,513 credit balance Northern Territory Funds, at 31st December, 1910, paid by the State of South Australia.

### DISBURSEMENTS.

Departments and Purposes.	1901-2.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.	1911-2.	1912-3. Trea- surer's Estimate
	£	£	£	£	£	£
GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—	29,185	23,154	22,508	21,375	23,832	25,673
PARLIAMENT ... ..	122,796	164,635	219,650	211,769	189,018	228,701
DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER						
Prime Minister's Office ... ..	a	a	a	a	b 6,966	b 11,795
Auditor-General, Staff, etc. (c) ...	d	7,995	8,593	8,819	9,446	11,248
Public Service Commissr., Staff, etc.	e	15,635	15,952	16,989	17,745	20,688
Miscellaneous ... ..	a	3,418	3,475	4,350	2,068	4,347
Total Dept. of Prime Minister ...	a	27,048	28,020	30,158	36,225	48,078
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY—						
Treasury ... ..	4,592	11,232	11,864	12,272	13,703	16,079
Land Tax Office ... ..	...	...	...	15,824	55,359	80,376
Invalid and Old Age Pensions Office	...	2,190	36,205	37,492	39,587	43,875
Old Age Pensions ... ..	...	...	1,497,330	1,874,459	2,155,481	2,414,000
Coinage ... ..	...	...	10,043	221	22,753	17,500
Other Expenditure ... ..	f 7,545	4,013	9,722	19,223	7,24,864	g 483,088
Total Dept. of Treasury ... ..	12,137	17,435	1,565,164	1,959,521	2,311,747	3,054,918
ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—						
High Court & Court of Conciliation	...	24,037	23,677	25,851	26,907	29,365
Patents, Trade Marks, etc. ...	...	17,900	19,284	20,140	23,291	24,341
Other Expenditure ... ..	2,680	7,990	8,671	9,487	12,717	15,066
Total Attorney-General's Dept.	2,680	49,927	51,632	55,478	62,915	68,772
DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS						
Administrative ... ..	7,718	9,128	11,327	10,559	13,198	14,975
High Commissioner's Office ...	...	3,650	5,756	20,286	17,782	21,185
Papua ... ..	20,000	22,100	28,548	30,616	30,280	53,000
Northern Territory ... ..	...	...	...	326,347	248,316	274,385
Port Augusta Railway ... ..	...	...	...	...	119,426	104,410
Mail Service to the Pacific ...	...	13,467	12,517	18,700	19,850	19,850
Advertising Resources of the C'wealth	...	8,644	8,110	15,640	19,719	20,000
Miscellaneous ... ..	5,158	17,166	10,731	27,728	22,846	25,003
Additions, New Works, etc. ...	...	635	7	...	23,076	62,120
Total Dept. of External Affairs	32,876	74,790	76,996	449,876	514,493	594,928

(a) Included in department of External Affairs. (b) Includes printing and distribution of Gazettes and Statutes formerly included with Miscellaneous. (c) Further expenditure on account of audit (£11,131 in 1911-12) is charged against Customs, Defence, and Post departments. (d) Included in Treasury department. (e) Included in department of Home Affairs. (f) Includes Audit department subsequently included in Prime Minister's department. (g) Includes £400,000 Maternity Allowance and £60,000 Interest and Sinking Fund on Commonwealth Inscribed Stock. (h) Includes advance to Commonwealth Bank, £5000.

## COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND (Continued).

Departments and Purposes.	1901-2.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.	1911-2.	1912-3. Trea- surer's Estimate
<b>DEPT. OF DEFENCE—</b>	£	£	£	£	£	£
Central Administration ... ..	12,250	31,309	40,995	45,182	64,304	93,990
Universal Training—Adult ... ..	...	...	...	...	86,000	a
Royal Military College ... ..	...	...	...	11,665	28,186	38,313
Factories (Defence requisites) work- ing expenses ... ..	...	...	1,434	13,887	97,651	90,061
Naval Agreement ... ..	104,969	200,000	200,000	200,000	200,000	175,000
Naval Forces ... ..	46,246	59,251	63,168	86,140	248,731	659,379
Military Forces ... ..	586,317	625,600	853,532	945,536	1,172,871	1,603,880
Interest, &c., on transferred properties	...	...	...	...	162,132	121,599
Additions, New Works, etc.—	...	...	60,000	1,135,000	1,108,171	1,306,829
Fleet Unit ... ..	...	...	277,961	475,228	844,812	1,267,842
Other ... ..	53,321	101,020	38,315	93,388	67,181	81,471
Miscellaneous ... ..	58,115	33,412	...	...	...	...
<b>Total Dept. of Defence ... ..</b>	<b>861,218</b>	<b>1,050,592</b>	<b>1,535,405</b>	<b>3,006,026</b>	<b>4,080,039</b>	<b>5,438,364</b>
<b>DEPT. OF TRADE &amp; CUSTOMS—</b>						
General Expenditure including Quar- antine and Fisheries ... ..	262,353	320,099	345,365	359,422	395,195	438,060
Sugar Bounties ... ..	...	477,090	402,132	630,762	543,503	405,000
Iron Bonus ... ..	...	3,648	32,579	29,427	23,048	70,000
Shale Oil Bounties ... ..	...	...	...	1,473	3,368	8,500
Other Bounties ... ..	...	2,634	5,885	10,267	19,574	20,800
Interest on transferred properties ...	...	...	...	...	39,514	29,637
Additions, New Works, etc....	150	20,019	5,124	3,940	15,013	76,083
<b>Total Dept. of Trade and Customs</b>	<b>262,503</b>	<b>823,490</b>	<b>791,085</b>	<b>1,035,291</b>	<b>1,039,215</b>	<b>1,048,080</b>
<b>POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPT.—</b>						
General Expenditure ... ..	2,346,666	3,069,868	3,231,198	3,559,785	3,964,144	4,390,355
Interest, &c., on transferred properties	...	...	...	...	368,645	284,360
Additions, New Works, etc....	37,149	541,809	555,557	783,446	1,442,475	1,152,275
<b>Total Postmaster-General's Dept. ...</b>	<b>2,383,815</b>	<b>3,611,677</b>	<b>3,786,755</b>	<b>4,343,231</b>	<b>5,775,264</b>	<b>5,826,990</b>
<b>DEPT. OF HOME AFFAIRS—</b>						
General Expenditure of Departments	8,260	58,482	65,606	59,130	76,176	124,285
Census (collection of, etc.) ... ..	...	...	...	94,558	56,159	17,000
Additions, New Works ... ..	...	20,386	2,526	47,318	d 128,647	d 122,372
Miscellaneous ... ..	17,748	36,254	10,319	7,623	3,842	6,630
<b>Total Dept. of Home Affairs... ..</b>	<b>26,008</b>	<b>115,122</b>	<b>78,451</b>	<b>208,629</b>	<b>264,824</b>	<b>270,287</b>
<b>Total Expenditure ... ..</b>	<b>3,733,218</b>	<b>5,957,870</b>	<b>8,155,666</b>	<b>11,321,354</b>	<b>14,297,572</b>	<b>16,604,791</b>
<b>Contribution to States ... ..</b>	<b>7,368,137</b>	<b>7,927,159</b>	<b>8,495,673</b>	<b>5,196,424</b>	<b>5,824,423</b>	<b>f 6,078,750</b>
<b>Total Disbursements ... ..</b>	<b>11,101,355</b>	<b>13,885,029</b>	<b>16,651,339</b>	<b>16,517,778</b>	<b>20,121,995</b>	<b>22,683,541</b>
<b>Per head of population—</b>	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Commonwealth Expenditure ... ..	0 19 6	1 8 2	1 17 9	2 11 2	3 2 7	3 10 5
Contribution to States ... ..	1 18 6	1 17 6	1 19 4	1 3 6	1 5 6	1 5 9
<b>Total Disbursements ... ..</b>	<b>2 18 0</b>	<b>3 5 8</b>	<b>3 17 1</b>	<b>3 14 8</b>	<b>4 8 1</b>	<b>4 16 2</b>

(a) Included in Military Forces. (b) Exclusive of £1,837,174 paid to Trust Fund on account of (Defence (£918,587) and Old Age Pensions (£918,587)). (c) Includes £406,767 paid in August, 1910. (d) Federal Capital and sundry departments. (e) Exclusive of £424,366 paid to Trust Fund on account of Old Age Pensions and Construction of Fleet. (f) Includes £95,000 appropriation for special payment to the State of Tasmania.



### No. 27.—COMMONWEALTH REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, SEPT., 1912 and 1911.

	September.		Three Months of Financial Year.	
	1912.	1911.	1912-13.	1911-12.
<b>REVENUE—</b>	£	£	£	£
Customs ...	1,139,274	909,627	3,440,202	2,979,679
Excise ...	182,254	203,221	579,921	627,538
Post, Telegraph, and Telephone	348,133	214,821	994,414	914,655
Land Tax ...	9,229	2,726	31,263	21,195
Defence ...	1,757	4,121	5,108	51,831
Patents, Trade Marks, etc. ...	2,097	2,280	5,605	5,937
Quarantine ...	810	498	3,561	1,597
Coinage ...	3,211	9,838	17,086	39,663
Northern Territory ...	1,564	2,384	11,591	7,579
Other Receipts ...	12,059	2,575	39,746	10,566
<b>Total Revenue ...</b>	<b>1,700,388</b>	<b>1,452,091</b>	<b>5,128,497</b>	<b>4,660,240</b>
<b>EXPENDITURE—</b>				
Ordinary Expenditure ...	639,755	754,262	1,832,292	1,790,077
Additions, New Works ...	116,841	106,449	310,833	233,339
Amount paid to State Treasurers	465,636	470,117	1,436,367	1,410,350
<b>Total Expenditure ...</b>	<b>1,222,232</b>	<b>1,330,828</b>	<b>3,579,492</b>	<b>3,433,766</b>

### No. 28.—COMMONWEALTH NOTES ISSUED AS AT UNDERMENTIONED DATES.

Denomination.	29th Dec., 1910.	27th Dec., 1911.	29th June, 1912.	25th Sept., 1912.	30th Oct., 1912.	27th Nov., 1912.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
£1 ...	1,175,566	3,511,163	3,031,058	2,985,436	3,044,027	3,064,195
£5 ...	952,040	3,263,445	3,098,575	3,131,880	3,233,760	3,253,220
£10 ...	675,020	1,724,210	1,635,630	1,630,640	1,692,140	1,731,930
£20 ...	177,500	397,740	407,380	427,980	427,240	427,740
£50 ...	294,050	890,700	839,700	807,350	819,950	800,450
£100 ...	115,300	369,100	473,600	464,200	384,900	422,800
<b>Total ...</b>	<b>3,389,476</b>	<b>10,156,358</b>	<b>9,485,943</b>	<b>9,447,486</b>	<b>9,602,017</b>	<b>9,700,335</b>
Gold reserve ...	1,140,344	4,949,422	4,279,007	3,900,550	4,055,081	4,153,399
Per cent. of reserve	33.65	48.73	45.10	41.28	42.23	42.82

### No. 29.—OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS.

State.	Number of Pensioners as at 30/9/12.			Number per 10,000 of Population.†		Average Fortnightly Pension as at 30/6/12.		Aggregate Annual Rate of Payment (approximate).	
	Old-age.	Invalid.	Total Old-age and Invalid.	Old-age.	Invalid.	Old-age.	Invalid.	Amnt.	Per head of Pop.
						s. d.	s. d.	£	s. d.
New South Wales	30,159	4,847	35,006	178	28	19 1	19 5	869,478	10 4
Victoria ...	24,421	3,339	27,760	177	23	19 1	19 5	690,024	10 0
Queensland ...	10,559	1,113	11,672	169	17	18 11	19 7	288,039	9 2
South Australia ...	7,337	775	8,112	174	18	18 1	19 2	191,753	9 1
Western Australia ...	3,246	410	3,656	110	14	18 8	18 11	88,325	6 0
Tasmania... ..	4,002	763	4,765	209	38	18 7	19 4	115,823	12 0
<b>Total ...</b>	<b>79,724</b>	<b>11,247</b>	<b>90,971</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>18 11</b>	<b>19 5</b>	<b>2,243,942</b>	<b>9 9</b>

† Population taken as at 31st March, 1912.

## No. 30.—LAND TAX ASSESSMENTS FOR 1910.

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Commonwealth.
Returns Assessed—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Resident Owners ...	4,514	4,218	1,709	1,665	540	342	12,988
Absentee Owners ...	548	772	288	334	201	140	2,283
Total ...	5,062	4,990	1,997	1,999	741	482	*15,271
Unimproved Value—	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Resident Owners ...	79,189	49,112	15,514	17,769	6,111	5,592	173,287
Absentee Owners ...	2,073	1,427	452	659	313	236	5,160
Total ...	81,262	50,539	15,966	18,428	6,424	5,828	178,447
Deductions Allowed—							
Resident Owners ...	25,427	20,388	5,215	7,082	2,140	2,535	62,787
Absentee Owners ...	10	4	1	2	...	1	18
Total ...	25,437	20,392	5,216	7,084	2,140	2,536	62,805
Taxable Value—							
Resident Owners ...	53,762	28,724	10,299	10,687	3,971	3,057	110,500
Absentee Owners ...	2,063	1,423	451	657	313	235	5,142
Total ...	55,825	30,147	10,750	11,344	4,284	3,292	115,642
ASSESSED AMOUNT OF TAX.							
Urban—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Resident Owners ...	194,038	133,014	39,131	36,785	22,874	6,723	432,565
Absentee Owners ...	12,418	6,794	2,298	2,259	1,509	289	25,567
Total ...	206,456	139,808	41,429	39,044	24,383	7,012	458,132
Rural—							
Resident Owners ...	495,004	209,119	75,848	87,206	18,310	24,160	909,647
Absentee Owners ...	11,780	12,501	1,676	8,847	896	1,490	37,190
Total ...	506,784	221,620	77,524	96,053	19,206	25,650	946,837
Urban and Rural—							
Resident Owners ...	689,042	342,133	114,979	123,991	41,184	30,883	1,342,212
Absentee Owners ...	24,198	19,295	3,974	11,106	2,405	1,779	62,757
Total ...	713,240	361,428	118,953	135,097	43,589	32,662	1,404,969
Area of State ...	1000 ac.	1000 ac.	1000 ac.	1000 ac.	1000 ac.	1000 ac.	1000 ac.
Per cent. to Total ...	198,638	56,246	429,120	243,245	624,589	16,777	†1,903,732
	10.4	3.1	22.6	12.7	32.8	0.8	100
Taxable Area ...	42,397,020	8,962,838	7,012,417	6,741,298	4,713,039	2,701,659	72,528,271
Per cent. to Total ...	58.4	12.5	9.6	9.3	6.5	3.7	100
Average Tax per acre of Taxable Area ...	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
	4.04	9.68	4.07	4.80	2.22	2.90	4.65
Average Tax per £ of Assessed Unimproved Value ...	2.11	1.72	1.78	1.76	1.63	1.35	1.89
Average Tax per £ of Taxable Value ...	3.07	2.87	2.66	2.86	2.44	2.38	2.92

\* A taxpayer owning land in more than one State is represented in this return in each State in which he held land. The actual number of taxpayers in the Commonwealth was 13,387.

† Includes Northern Territory, 335,117,000 acres, or 17.6 per cent. of the total area.

### No. 31.—SALES AND PURCHASES OF LAND BY PAYERS OF COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX DURING THE PERIOD FROM 1st. OCT., 1910, to 30th JUNE, 1911.

State.	Sales.		Purchases.	
	No.	Unimproved Value.	No.	Unimproved Value.
		£		£
Central Office* and Victoria ...	7,032	7,684,221	1,601	3,798,275
New South Wales ...	7,134	6,931,090	1,151	3,496,973
Queensland ...	1,109	1,027,206	166	511,328
South Australia ...	2,059	1,798,545	744	1,135,069
Western Australia ...	656	391,555	107	121,022
Tasmania ...	298	355,676	105	203,839
Total ...	18,288	£18,188,293	3,874	£9,266,506

\* Central Office deals with estates that include properties in more than one State.

**No. 32—STATEMENT SHEWING NUMBER OF RESIDENT AND ABSENTEE TAXPAYERS in each State who possess Land of an Unimproved Taxable Value between the limits shewn.**

NOTE.—Returns made to Central Office are those of Taxpayers who own Land in more than one State.

Unimproved Taxable Value.	Central.		N.S.W.		Victoria.		Q'land.		S. Aust.		W. Aust.		Tas.		Total.
	R	A	R	A	R	A	R	A	R	A	R	A	R	A	
£															
1-1,000	116	47	698	192	889	387	151	121	382	184	46	97	75	65	3,445
1,001-2,000	92	31	463	73	609	124	95	26	254	43	52	18	56	26	1,962
2,001-3,000	88	17	393	45	407	46	59	12	155	24	33	13	53	8	1,353
3,001-4,000	57	14	294	33	294	40	61	9	123	20	35	10	28	5	1,023
4,001-5,000	64	8	247	16	216	22	36	6	83	11	23	5	22	5	764
5,001-6,000	35	10	177	14	156	12	35	8	66	1	17	5	15	3	554
6,001-7,000	37	5	147	10	112	12	32	1	41	9	12	3	10	1	432
7,001-8,000	41	8	119	30	93	7	22	2	32	6	10	1	16	1	388
8,001-9,000	32	5	111	10	88	7	15	1	34	1	20	1	12	...	337
9,001-10,000	29	3	81	1	78	5	15	...	25	1	14	...	13	5	270
10,001-15,000	100	5	312	14	246	11	45	3	62	6	33	5	38	1	881
15,001-20,000	77	3	190	10	106	8	23	5	23	2	27	3	16	3	496
20,001-30,000	81	...	202	12	120	6	39	...	38	...	19	1	14	2	534
30,001-40,000	51	4	112	10	62	4	21	1	17	...	9	1	11	...	303
40,001-50,000	38	2	54	2	45	4	9	2	10	3	6	1	1	...	177
50,001-60,000	26	...	45	1	21	2	6	...	6	...	4	...	1	...	112
60,001-70,000	26	1	31	1	15	...	4	...	4	2	3	...	1	...	88
70,001-80,000	13	3	24	2	15	...	3	...	3	...	1	...	2	...	66
80,001-90,000	7	2	12	...	7	...	2	...	2	2	1	...	1	...	36
90,001-100,000	6	...	6	...	6	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	20
100,001-110,000	5	...	5	1	4	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	19
110,001-120,000	4	...	5	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	16
120,001-130,000	4	...	6	...	7	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	19
130,001-140,000	1	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	9
140,001-150,000	4	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
150,001-160,000	2	...	2	...	1	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	9
160,001-170,000	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	4
170,001-180,000	3	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
180,001-190,000	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
190,001-200,000	7	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	11
200,001-210,000	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
220,001-230,000	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
230,001-240,000	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
240,001-250,000	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
250,001-260,000	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
260,001-270,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
280,001-290,000	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
290,001-300,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2
300,001-310,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
310,001-320,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
350,001-360,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
360,001-370,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
380,001-390,000	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
390,001-400,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
400,001-500,000	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
500,001-600,000	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
600,001-700,000	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
700,001-800,000	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
800,001-900,000	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
1,000,001 & over	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Total	1,077	170	3,748	477	3,608	699	678	197	1,373	317	367	164	387	125	13,387

NOTE.—“R” indicates Resident and “A” indicates Absentee.



## State Finance.

## No. 33.—CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS OF STATES.

## REVENUE, 1910-11.

Sources of Revenue.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation ... ..	1,027,519	1,344,573	667,196	545,986	325,246	284,965	4,195,485
Railways and Tramways ...	7,412,127	4,887,560	*2,706,888	2,033,781	1,858,914	276,942	19,176,212
Land—Sales ... ..	1,028,531	219,789	217,099	340,731	253,961	60,894	2,121,005
Rentals ... ..	810,386	138,129	588,007	133,060	139,352	37,132	1,846,066
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	1,942,245	1,617,572	688,063	510,373	569,577	228,118	5,555,948
All other Sources ... ..	1,618,331	996,880	452,755	617,541	703,389	82,041	4,470,937
Total Revenue ... ..	13,839,139	9,204,503	5,320,008	4,181,472	3,850,439	970,092	37,365,653
„ „ per head ... ..	£ s. d. 8 8 5	£ s. d. 7 1 5	£ s. d. 8 17 8	£ s. d. 10 3 11	£ s. d. 13 18 2	£ s. d. 5 0 1	£ s. d. 8 8 11

## 1911-12.

Taxation ... ..	1,885,653	1,214,511	787,577	551,994	352,314	340,434	5,132,483
Railways and Tramways ...	8,067,597	5,237,466	*3,032,929	2,145,634	1,896,579	314,708	20,694,913
Land—Sales ... ..	1,763,770	152,204	875,221	347,428	243,350	60,300	3,878,238
Rentals ... ..	1,133,596	133,596	131,352	131,352	136,753	34,264	1,506,853
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	2,046,993	1,667,657	757,087	511,719	597,879	236,761	5,818,096
All other Sources ... ..	2,033,123	1,531,231	536,533	762,612	730,798	98,196	5,701,493
Total Revenue ... ..	15,797,136	9,936,665	5,989,347	4,450,739	3,966,673	1,084,663	41,225,223
„ „ per head ... ..	£ s. d. 9 8 10	£ s. d. 7 5 10	£ s. d. 9 12 6	£ s. d. 10 12 10	£ s. d. 13 9 9	£ s. d. 5 12 1	£ s. d. 8 18 8

## 1912-13. (TREASURERS' ESTIMATES).

Taxation ... ..	1,931,800	1,477,610	779,500	546,572	...	333,145	...
Railways and Tramways ...	8,548,480	5,341,900	*3,220,000	2,140,000	...	322,000	...
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	2,164,291	1,715,708	790,000	527,000	...	238,974	...
All other Sources ... ..	3,826,442	1,584,782	1,479,802	1,168,240	...	187,238	...
Total Revenue ... ..	16,471,013	10,120,000	6,268,302	4,381,812	4,589,712	1,081,357	42,912,196

\* Railways only.

## EXPENDITURE, 1910-11.

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Public Debt ... ..	3,659,918	2,219,096	1,670,772	1,343,355	1,046,236	435,335	10,374,712
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction) ...	4,814,991	3,031,431	615,600,994	1,277,182	1,237,620	215,530	12,137,748
All other Expenditure ... ..	5,332,629	3,943,630	2,082,971	1,560,935	1,450,592	366,098	14,736,855
(a)							
Total Expenditure ... ..	13,807,538	9,194,157	5,314,737	4,181,472	3,734,448	1,016,963	37,249,315
„ „ per head ... ..	£ s. d. 8 8 0	£ s. d. 7 1 3	£ s. d. 8 17 5	£ s. d. 10 3 11	£ s. d. 13 9 9	£ s. d. 5 4 11	£ s. d. 8 8 4

## EXPENDITURE, 1911-12.

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Public Debt ...	3,996,604	2,249,142	1,724,304	1,379,676	1,101,560	462,597	10,913,833
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction) ...	5,428,086	3,329,979	1,915,246	1,395,839	1,354,847	221,175	13,645,172
All other Expenditure ...	5,852,311	4,265,889	2,326,142	1,675,224	1,644,675	380,953	16,145,194
	a						
Total Expenditure ...	15,277,001	9,845,010	5,965,692	4,450,739	4,101,082	1,064,725	40,704,249
" " per head	£ s. d. 9 2 8	£ s. d. 7 4 6	£ s. d. 9 11 9	£ s. d. 10 12 10	£ s. d. 13 18 10	£ s. d. 5 10 1	£ s. d. 8 18 3

1912-13.

## (TREASURERS' ESTIMATES.)

Interest ...	4,462,859	2,341,743	1,869,890	1,148,800	...	469,220	...
Railways and Tramways ...	5,870,950	3,384,239	2,037,037	1,400,000	...	223,483	...
All other ...	5,815,827	4,371,425	2,355,766	1,933,012	...	387,086	...
	(a)						
Total Expenditure ...	16,149,636	10,097,407	6,262,633	4,381,812	4,755,615	1,079,789	42,726,802

(a) Exclusive of transfers, etc. to Public Works Fund. (b) Railways only.

## No. 34.—LOANS EXPENDITURE DURING THE YEAR 1911-12.

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Railways and Tramways ...	3,448,127	1,703,453	2,854,560	...	1,316,800	120,179	...
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage ...	1,344,211	259,281	2,465	...	124,833	...	...
Harbours, Rivers, & Lights ...	413,998	...	...	...	185,631	...	...
Roads and Bridges ...	...	...	...	...	35,414	...	...
Land Purchased for Settlement.	...	889,000	...	...	...	...	...
Public Buildings, including State schools ...	284,767	...	40,591	...	130,846	24,935	...
All other purposes ...	...	122,415	426,632	...	550,546	79,391	...
Total ...	5,491,103	2,974,149	3,324,248	...	2,344,070	435,557	...
	£ s. d. 3 5 8	£ s. d. 2 3 8	£ s. d. 5 6 10	£ s. d. ...	£ s. d. 7 19 5	£ s. d. 2 5 0	£ s. d. ...

## AGGREGATE LOANS EXPENDITURE TO 30TH JUNE, 1912.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Railways and Tramways ...	61,955	43,280	30,154	...	13,321	4,554	...
Telegraphs and Telephones...	(a) 1,762	...	996	...	332	142	...
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage ...	15,823	10,637	365	...	3,564	...	...
Harbours, Rivers, & Lights ...	11,763	611	2,446	...	2,877	...	...
Roads and Bridges ...	1,792	176	924	...	340	3,840	...
Defence ...	1,458	149	363	...	...	128	...
Public Buildings, including State schools ...	(b) 4,454	1,912	1,514	...	722	974	...
All other purposes ...	1,754	5,985	7,412	...	3,184	1,621	...
Total ...	100,761	62,750	(c) 44,174	...	24,340	11,259	...

(a) Including Post Offices. (b) Incomplete. (c) The Loan Fund of Queensland has been augmented by transfers from Revenue amounting to £1,550,942.

**No. 35.—TOTAL PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE 1901 to 1912.**

Year ended June 30.	N. S. W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	67,361,246	50,071,275	38,416,514	26,448,805	12,709,430	8,511,005	208,518,275
1902 ...	71,592,485	50,933,957	40,418,177	27,272,545	14,942,310	9,095,735	214,255,209
1903 ...	77,692,987	51,447,900	41,031,247	27,843,370	15,627,298	9,228,963	222,871,765
1904 ...	80,033,581	51,819,962	41,773,297	28,593,645	16,090,288	9,436,839	227,747,612
1905 ...	82,321,898	51,763,767	41,764,467	28,773,695	16,642,773	9,471,971	230,738,671
1906 ...	85,641,734	53,079,800	41,764,467	30,082,635	18,058,553	9,800,631	238,427,820
1907 ...	85,607,832	53,104,989	41,764,467	30,526,718	19,222,638	9,923,083	240,149,727
1908 ...	87,635,826	53,305,487	42,264,467	29,985,858	20,493,618	10,150,233	243,835,489
1909 ...	90,307,419	54,667,197	44,276,067	30,436,183	21,951,753	10,134,914	251,773,533
1910 ...	92,525,095	55,576,735	44,276,067	31,387,870	23,287,453	10,570,453	257,623,663
1911 ...	95,523,926	57,983,764	44,613,197	34,224,653*	23,703,953	11,077,790	267,127,283
1912 ...	100,052,635	60,737,216	45,442,286	29,487,013	26,283,523	11,302,411	273,305,084
Increase since 1901.	32,691,389	10,665,941	7,025,772	3,038,208	13,574,093	2,791,406	69,786,809

**PUBLIC DEBT AS ON 30TH JUNE, 1912.**

Particulars.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Floated in London ...	67,535,429	37,392,128	39,409,347	...	...	8,007,250	...
Floated in Australia ...	32,517,206	23,345,088	6,032,939	...	...	3,295,161	...
Total Gross Debt ...	100,052,635	60,737,216	45,442,286	29,487,013	26,283,523	11,302,411	273,305,084
Sinking Funds ...	653,981	1,273,306	15,000	504,318	2,918,733	420,972	5,786,310
Total Net Debt ...	99,398,654	59,463,910	45,427,286	28,982,695	23,364,790	10,881,439	267,518,774
Total Net Debt per head	...	...	...	...	...	...	£ s. d. 57 12 0

\* Includes Northern Territory Debt, £3,657,385, and Port Augusta to Oodnadatta Railway Debt, £2,240,011, taken over by the Commonwealth.

**No. 36.—RATES OF INTEREST PAYABLE ON THE AGGREGATE PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE STATES OF THE COMMONWEALTH at 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1912.**

30th June.	Amount of Debt bearing interest at								Amount not bearing Interest.	Total Public Debt all States.
	6%	5%	4½%	4%	3½%	3½%	3½%	3%		
	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
1901 ...	804	1,224	5,079	93,670	...	65,727	275	36,733	6	203,518
1902 ...	549	799	5,077	91,610	...	70,698	300	45,214	8	214,255
1903 ...	471	368	5,075	93,786	1,500	71,972	279	49,413	7	222,871
1904 ...	434	343	69	98,649	1,825	76,671	256	49,492	9	227,748
1905 ...	384	243	67	103,945	1,825	74,795	289	49,181	10	230,739
1906 ...	346	243	64	102,578	2,045	84,049	200	48,891	12	238,428
1907 ...	309	243	61	94,972	2,514	93,522	175	48,292	62	240,150
1908 ...	298	243	58	87,392	3,132	104,601	150	47,948	13	243,835
1909 ...	270	243	56	80,403	5,218	117,970	125	47,473	15	251,774
1910 ...	209	243	53	76,983	10,897	121,988	75	47,162	14	257,624
1911 ...	191	193	49	71,433	21,588	126,678	75	46,910	10	267,127
1912 ...	156	144	46	69,043	25,791	131,481	50	46,544	50	273,305
Increase since 1901.	-648	-1,080	-5,033	-24,627	25,791	65,754	-225	9,811	44	69,787

NOTE.—Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.



**No. 37.—LOANS RAISED IN LONDON BY THE SEVERAL STATES DURING THE  
THREE YEARS ENDED 30th JUNE, 1911.**

Date of Flotation.	Face Value of Loan.	Rate of Interest Payable	Fixed Price Per Cent.	Flotation Expenses.		Accrued Interest.		Net Proceeds (excluding Accrued Interest.)	
				Amount.	% on Face Value.	Amount.	% on Face Value.	Amount.	% on Face Value.
NEW SOUTH WALES.									
8/1/1909*	£ 750,000	2½ dis.	...	£ 1,313	.175	...	...	£ 748,687	99.825
19/2/1909*	500,000	2½ „	...	875	.175	...	...	499,129	99.825
23/2/1909	1,500,000	3½	97½	36,427	2.428	11,115	.741	1,414,958	94.331
27/5/1909	3,000,000	3½	98½	71,648	2.388	26,600	.887	2,856,752	95.225
17/2/1910	2,750,000	3½	97	66,193	2.407	21,405	.778	2,579,902	93.815
VICTORIA.									
11/5/1909	1,500,000	3½	98	36,205	2.414	12,032	.802	1,421,763	94.784
Various 1910-11	538,352	3½	Par	14,135	2.626	...	...	524,217	97.374
QUEENSLAND.									
March 1909	2,000,000	3½	97	48,055	2.403	25,206	1.260	1,866,739	93.337
SOUTH AUSTRALIA.									
1/7/1908	22,900	3½	99¼	†	...	†	...	†	...
1/1/1909	2,000,000	3½	97½						
1/1/1909	2,200	3½	99¼						
1/1/1909	5,400	3½	Par						
1/12/1909	500,000	3½	*						
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.									
24/5/1909	1,445,000	3½	96½	34,647	2.398	13,960	.966	1,345,818	93.136
2/6/1910	1,342,000	3½	96½	33,093	2.466	14,021	1.045	1,247,916	92.989
TASMANIA.									
13/7/1908	200,000	3½	98½	4,782	2.391	568	.284	191,650	95.825
12/10/1909	300,000	3½	98½	7,240	2.413	...	...	288,260	96.087
Total	18,355,852	...	...	354,613 §	2.241 §	124,907 §	.789 §	14,985,791 §	94.700 §

\* Short dated Treasury Bills.

† Not available.

§ These figures relate to flotations amounting to £15,825,352, particulars relating to South Australian loans not being available.

No. 37.—LOANS RAISED IN LONDON BY THE SEVERAL STATES DURING THE

**No. 38.—PUBLIC DEBT PER HEAD OF POPULATION OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1912.**

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	49.467	41.622	76.484	73.298	67.400	49.568	53.726
1902 ...	51.539	42.224	79.083	75.923	72.644	52.305	55.719
1903 ...	54.955	42.720	79.740	77.605	70.960	51.311	57.271
1904 ...	55.614	43.133	79.935	79.274	68.363	51.802	57.785
1905 ...	55.390	42.966	78.882	79.147	67.197	51.660	57.698
1906 ...	56.933	43.779	77.731	82.003	70.770	53.535	58.739
1907 ...	55.487	43.315	76.799	82.321	75.236	54.164	58.258
1908 ...	55.794	43.066	76.010	78.550	79.343	54.532	58.185
1909 ...	56.559	43.405	77.381	77.776	83.304	53.555	58.930
1910 ...	56.619	43.464	74.865	78.697	85.878	55.691	58.988
1911 ...	57.780	43.693	72.282	82.735	82.355	58.693	59.524
1912 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58.860
Increase since 1901	...	...	...	...	...	...	5.134

**No. 39.—ACCRUED PUBLIC DEBT SINKING FUNDS OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1912.**

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	386,383	208,284	...	32,879	429,227	169,546	1,226,319
1902 ...	655,796	389,782	...	35,480	486,737	206,257	1,774,052
1903 ...	775,208	313,295	...	117,338	655,069	180,257	2,041,167
1904 ...	894,621	320,957	...	114,476	864,752	200,385	2,395,191
1905 ...	439,034	315,554	...	133,149	1,073,844	214,171	2,175,752
1906 ...	566,484	938,011	...	251,349	1,320,603	236,297	3,312,744
1907 ...	482,737	832,988	...	531,466	1,600,044	261,431	3,708,666
1908 ...	223,001	629,490	...	1,050,812	1,904,433	304,633	4,112,369
1909 ...	405,648	727,021	...	426,318	2,233,385	357,419	4,149,788
1910 ...	331,308	851,085	...	650,100	2,569,707	374,806	4,777,006
1911 ...	504,921	1,017,866	...	616,956	2,888,035	414,601	5,442,379
1912 ...	653,981	1,273,306	15,000	504,318	2,918,733	420,972	5,786,310
Increase since 1901	267,598	1,065,022	15,000	471,439	2,489,506	251,426	4,559,991

**No. 40.—ANNUAL AMOUNT OF INTEREST PAYABLE ON THE PUBLIC DEBTS  
OF THE SEVERAL STATES AS EXISTING ON THE 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1912.**

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	2,429,983	1,894,503	1,378,243	997,070	437,874	317,359	7,455,032
1902 ...	2,540,625	1,897,877	1,421,080	1,024,830	502,729	334,551	7,721,692
1903 ...	2,746,766	1,916,140	1,421,080	1,042,290	528,609	338,230	7,993,115
1904 ...	2,841,368	1,885,949	1,529,969	1,069,325	547,160	341,627	8,215,398
1905 ...	2,937,150	1,883,500	1,529,382	1,081,025	570,241	348,258	8,349,556
1906 ...	3,052,857	1,921,187	1,529,382	1,130,361	619,752	359,515	8,613,054
1907 ...	3,042,432	1,901,902	1,546,883	1,138,160	660,450	364,472	8,654,299
1908 ...	3,097,176	1,899,417	1,546,880	1,112,321	704,860	371,992	8,732,646
1909 ...	3,175,380	1,948,094	1,634,786	1,114,944	756,599	370,067	8,999,870
1910 ...	3,250,129	1,980,100	1,634,786	1,147,359	803,301	386,234	9,201,909
1911 ...	3,363,584	2,054,363	1,646,586	1,251,744	810,101	407,311	9,533,689
1912 ...	3,531,528	2,151,610	1,674,689	1,068,897	908,024	412,536	9,747,284
Increase since 1901	1,101,545	257,107	296,446	71,827	470,150	95,177	2,292,252

**No. 41.—AVERAGE RATES OF INTEREST PAYABLE ON THE PUBLIC DEBTS  
OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1912.**

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1901 ...	3.608	3.749	3.735	3.770	3.445	3.729	3.682
1902 ...	3.549	3.726	3.709	3.754	3.364	3.678	3.639
1903 ...	3.536	3.725	3.709	3.743	3.383	3.665	3.631
1904 ...	3.551	3.639	3.706	3.740	3.401	3.666	3.617
1905 ...	3.568	3.639	3.706	3.757	3.426	3.677	3.627
1906 ...	3.565	3.619	3.706	3.758	3.432	3.668	3.620
1907 ...	3.554	3.581	3.704	3.735	3.436	3.673	3.605
1908 ...	3.534	3.563	3.704	3.710	3.439	3.665	3.589
1909 ...	3.517	3.564	3.692	3.663	3.447	3.651	3.575
1910 ...	3.513	3.563	3.692	3.655	3.450	3.654	3.572
1911 ...	3.522	3.543	3.691	3.657	3.418	3.677	3.569
1912 ...	3.529	3.543	3.685	3.625	3.455	3.650	3.567
Decrease since 1901	.079	.206	.050	.145	†.010	.079	.115

Note.—† signifies increase.



**No. 42.—BANKS OF ISSUE.****LIABILITIES OF BANKS OF ISSUE, 1901-1912.**

Quarter ended 30th June.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to Other Banks.	Deposits.			Total Liabilities.
				Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	3,399,462	525,958	376,972	37,457,960	54,029,188	91,487,148	95,789,540
1908 ...	3,536,227	707,903	796,447	46,015,448	67,678,940	113,694,388	118,734,965
1909 ...	3,510,629	720,853	555,806	46,812,632	70,945,623	117,758,255	122,545,543
1910 ...	3,748,482	821,758	570,115	55,233,862	74,657,274	129,891,136	135,031,491
1911 ...	3,718,458	928,663	741,188	62,226,597	81,220,013	143,446,610	148,935,219
1912 ...	536,984	1,002,062	872,946	65,408,841	84,397,756	149,806,597	152,218,539
30th Sept., 1912 ...	469,396	936,702	867,527	61,895,128	85,147,623	147,042,751	149,316,376

**ASSETS OF BANKS OF ISSUE, 1901-1912.**

Quarter ended 30th June.	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes.	Land and Other Property.	Notes and Bills of Other Banks.	Balances due from Other Banks.	All Other Debts due to the Banks.	Total Assets.
	(a)	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	18,581,224	1,199,304		6,145,742	695,676	1,215,701	93,710,166	121,547,813
1908 ...	23,578,293	1,353,267		4,938,212	889,377	1,131,612	101,647,044 <sup>b</sup>	133,537,805
1909 ...	24,943,910	1,353,933		4,852,471	932,354	1,153,611	98,481,421 <sup>c</sup>	131,717,700
1910 ...	28,826,729	1,322,899		4,919,991	973,161	1,343,669	101,371,817 <sup>d</sup>	138,758,266
1911 ...	32,330,705	1,140,065	5,137,478	4,937,437	1,279,714	1,698,097	113,041,947 <sup>e</sup>	159,565,443
1912 ...	27,581,368	1,104,644	5,434,819	4,956,593	1,168,958	1,761,701	123,763,173 <sup>f</sup>	165,771,256
30 Sept., 1912 ...	26,731,486	1,099,901	5,185,344	4,962,082	852,099	1,685,269	125,215,194 <sup>g</sup>	165,731,375

<sup>a</sup> Including gold and silver bullion in Tasmanian banks prior to 1908. <sup>b</sup> Including £3,454,715 Government and municipal securities. <sup>c</sup> Including £3,085,058 Government and municipal securities. <sup>d</sup> Including £3,530,890 Government and municipal securities. <sup>e</sup> Including £4,187,717 Government and municipal securities. <sup>f</sup> Including £4,514,964 Government and municipal securities. <sup>g</sup> Includes £4,792,534 Government and municipal securities.

**No. 43.—SAVINGS BANKS.**

End of Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
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**NUMBER OF DEPOSITORS.**

1900-1	282,643	393,026	81,025	126,032	39,318	42,509	964,553
1907-8	421,928	511,581	100,324	*174,289	+72,178	55,620	1,335,920
1908-9	436,029	532,425	106,627	*187,482	+77,748	58,145	1,398,456
1909-10	460,251	560,515	114,720	*201,275	+86,166	60,646	1,483,573
1910-11	498,658	595,424	127,219	*216,480	+99,017	63,314	1,600,112
1911-12	544,023	641,736	139,091	*232,971	96,569	67,105	1,721,495

**AMOUNT ON DEPOSIT.**

1900-1	£ 10,901,882	£ 9,662,006	£ 3,896,170	£ 3,795,631	£ 1,618,359	£ 1,009,097	£ 30,882,645
1907-8	17,530,157	13,428,676	4,921,881	5,820,344	2,885,463	1,560,951	46,147,472
1908-9	18,805,082	14,101,710	5,158,219	6,347,271	3,059,738	1,605,919	49,077,939
1909-10	20,150,574	15,417,888	5,622,986	6,791,320	3,481,764	1,652,966	53,117,498
1910-11	22,453,924	17,274,423	6,376,969	7,435,772	4,092,504	1,760,090	59,393,682
1911-12	25,361,338	19,662,466	7,342,811	8,248,396	4,400,391	1,934,089	66,949,491

\* Including depositors in Penny Savings Banks:—1908, 2011; 1909, 4607; 1910, 6881; 1911, 8436; 1912, 9983.  
 † 1908, 2645; 1909, 4590; 1910, 6781; 1911, 9578.

## AVERAGE PER DEPOSITOR.

End of Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1900-1	38 11 5	24 11 8	48 1 9	30 2 4	41 3 3	23 14 9	32 0 4
1907-8	41 10 11	26 5 0	49 1 2	33 7 11	39 19 6	28 1 4	34 10 10
1908-9	43 11 2	26 9 9	48 7 6	33 17 1	39 7 1	27 12 5	35 4 1
1909-10	43 15 8	27 10 1	49 0 4	33 14 10	40 8 2	27 5 1	35 16 1
1910-11	45 0 7	29 0 3	50 2 6	34 7 0	41 6 7	27 16 0	37 2 4
1911-12	46 12 4	30 12 11	52 15 10	35 8 1	45 8 6	28 16 6	38 17 10

## AVERAGE PER INHABITANT.

	8 0 3	8 0 6	7 15 2	10 10 0	8 11 3	5 16 9	8 3 0
1900-1	8 0 3	8 0 6	7 15 2	10 10 0	8 11 3	5 16 9	8 3 0
1907-8	11 4 6	10 17 10	9 0 4	15 8 5	11 6 9	8 4 8	11 1 9
1908-9	11 17 5	11 5 6	9 5 2	16 6 0	11 15 8	8 7 6	11 11 11
1909-10	12 9 8	12 1 6	9 14 7	17 2 8	13 2 1	8 11 2	12 5 8
1910-11	13 13 2	13 5 6	10 12 11	18 2 7	14 15 8	9 1 9	13 8 5
1911-12†	15 0 2	14 5 8	11 14 11	19 10 10	14 15 11	10 2 2	14 11 0

† Based on population at 31st March, 1912.

## Section V.—Railways.

## No. 44.—PARTICULARS OF WORKING.

RAILWAYS (GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE) OPEN FOR TRAFFIC, 1901-12.

NOTE.—The mileage of Government railways is shown by figures not in brackets; that of private lines is shown in brackets.

—	1900-1.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.
Commonwealth ...	2,846 ... (80)	3,472 ... (271)	3,623 ... (265)	3,643 ... (266)	(b) 145 (—)	(b) 145 (c)
New South Wales ...	3,237 (a)	3,396 (47)	3,410 (47)	3,491 (51)	3,761 (266)	3,832 (—)
Victoria ...	2,801 (146)	3,359 (336)	3,498 (367)	3,661 (544)	3,523 (51)	3,622 (—)
Queensland ...	1,881 (a)	2,025 (58)	2,034 (58)	2,058 (58)	3,868 (522)	4,266 (—)
South Australia ...	1,355 (629)	1,943 (639)	2,044 (639)	2,145 (832)	1,935 (58)	1,939 (—)
Western Australia ...	458 (143)	463 (204)	463 (204)	469 (204)	2,376 (832)	2,598 (—)
Tasmania ...					470 (205)	496 (—)
Total ...	12,578 (a)	14,658 (1,555)	15,072 (1,580)	15,467 (1,955)	16,078 (1,934)	16,898 (—)
Private—						
For general traffic	(a)	916	943	936	1,099	—
„ private „	(a)	639	637	1,019	835	—
Grand total ...	—	16,213	16,652	17,432	18,012	—

(a) Not available.

(b) Pine Creek to Palmerston line (Northern Territory); the Port Augusta to Oodnadatta line, though the property of the Commonwealth Government, is still worked by the Government of South Australia, and is included in the lines of that State.

(c) Figures for private lines not available.

## GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1912.

Government.	Gross Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.		Cost of Construction and Equipment.	Net Earnings per cent. to Capital.
			Amount.	Per Train Mile.		
	£	£	£	s. d.	£1,000	£
Commonwealth *	11,805	13,841	-2,036	-1 4	1,180	-0.17
New South Wales	6,491,473	4,169,591	2,321,882	2 6	53,516	4.34
Victoria ...	5,218,967	3,441,803	1,777,164	2 7	45,837	3.88
Queensland ...	3,032,858	1,917,266	1,115,592	2 2	28,208	3.95
South Australia ...	2,148,501	1,363,354	785,147	2 6	15,418	5.09
Western Australia	1,884,604	1,343,977	540,627	2 1	13,233	4.09
Tasmania ...	312,786	221,172	91,614	1 9	4,253	2.15
Total ...	19,100,994	12,471,004	6,629,990	2 5	161,645	4.10

-- Denotes loss.

## AVERAGE MILES WORKED.

	1900-1.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.	1911-12.
Commonwealth*	...	...	...	...	145	145
New South Wales	2,818	3,469	3,560	3,625	3,713	3,832
Victoria ...	3,228	3,396	3,397	3,441	3,505	3,622
Queensland ...	2,801	3,239	3,444	3,533	3,795	4,266
South Australia ...	1,882	2,006	2,027	2,039	1,915	1,939
Western Australia	1,355	1,830	1,971	2,102	2,286	2,598
Tasmania ...	460	470	470	474	478	496
Total ...	12,544	14,410	14,869	15,214	15,837	16,898

\* For year ended 31st December, 1911.



## PARTICULARS OF WORKING (Continued).

	1900-1.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.	1911-2.
TRAIN MILES RUN—THOUSANDS.						
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	30	30
New South Wales ...	10,764	14,251	15,074	15,468	17,007	18,521
Victoria ...	11,066	10,383	11,291	11,706	12,973	13,837
Queensland ...	5,815	6,558	7,391	8,157	9,867	10,327
South Australia ...	4,423	5,041	4,956	5,451	5,946	6,244
Western Australia ...	4,126	3,964	4,102	4,398	4,963	5,227
Tasmania ...	896	1,029	1,029	1,060	1,041	1,047
Total ...	37,090	41,226	43,843	46,240	51,327	55,233

## GROSS EARNINGS.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	12	12
New South Wales ...	3,574	4,944	5,028	5,486	6,042	6,491
Victoria ...	3,338	3,873	4,178	4,444	4,896	5,219
Queensland ...	1,817	1,951	2,103	2,338	2,731	3,033
South Australia ...	1,250	1,755	1,652	1,853	2,045	2,148
Western Australia ...	1,353	1,502	1,509	1,637	1,844	1,885
Tasmania ...	206	278	280	284	278	313
Total ...	11,038	14,303	14,750	16,042	17,848	19,101

## WORKING EXPENSES.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	13	14
New South Wales ...	2,043	2,715	2,953	3,276	3,691	4,170
Victoria ...	2,075	2,436	2,515	2,818	3,099	3,442
Queensland ...	1,058	1,054	1,227	1,414	1,563	1,917
South Australia ...	754	983	953	1,082	1,256	1,363
Western Australia ...	1,045	1,008	974	1,097	1,216	1,344
Tasmania ...	174	202	204	212	216	221
Total ...	7,149	8,398	8,826	9,899	11,054	12,471

## NET EARNINGS.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	—1	—2
New South Wales ...	1,531	2,229	2,076	2,209	2,351	2,321
Victoria ...	1,262	1,438	1,663	1,626	1,797	1,777
Queensland ...	259	897	876	924	1,167	1,116
South Australia ...	496	772	698	771	789	785
Western Australia ...	309	494	535	541	628	541
Tasmania ...	32	76	76	72	62	92
Total ...	3,889	5,906	5,924	6,143	6,793	6,630

## RAILWAYS.

## PARTICULARS OF WORKING (Continued).

	1900-1.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.	1911-2.
NET EARNINGS PER CENT. TO CAPITAL COST.						
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	-0.13	-0.17
New South Wales ...	3.93	4.88	4.36	4.52	4.61	4.34
Victoria ...	3.14	3.43	3.91	3.77	4.07	3.88
Queensland ...	1.31	3.97	3.74	3.80	4.51	3.95
South Australia ...	3.58	5.28	4.70	5.12	5.40	5.09
Western Australia ...	4.35	4.60	4.85	4.75	5.22	4.09
Tasmania ...	0.85	1.91	1.90	1.79	1.53	2.15
Total ...	3.15	4.23	4.13	4.18	4.44	4.10

## GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1911.

	N.S.W.	Vict.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total
Miles open ...	3,793½	3,525	3,974	*	*	494½	*
Revenue—							
Coaching (Passengers, Parcels, Mails, etc.) ...	£ 602,079	£ 591,896	£ 249,929	—	—	29,000	—
Goods, including Live Stock and Minerals ...	£ 945,486	£ 609,793	£ 530,069	—	—	32,191	—
Miscellaneous ...	£ 450	£ 21,205	£ 10,979	—	—	3,069	—
Total Revenue ...	£ 1,548,015	£ 1,222,894	£ 790,977	—	—	64,260	—
Expenditure ...	£ 978,088	£ 1,760,874	£ 395,465	—	—	35,628	—
Train miles run ...	4,385,562	3,271,033	2,732,327	—	—	258,876	—
Earnings per train mile	7/0½	7/5½	5/9½	—	—	4/11½	—
Expenditure per train mile	4/5½	4/7½	2/10½	—	—	2/9	—
Expenditure per cent. to Earnings ...	63.19	62.22	50.00	—	—	55.44	—
Passengers carried ...	No. 16,236,798	24,939,690	2,277,010	—	—	384,355	—
Coal and Coke carried ...	tons 1,519,599	114,604	200,440	—	—	48,150	—
Other Minerals carried ...	tons 160,657	513	154,360	—	—	4,042	—
Live Stock carried ...	tons 107,131	81,018	76,087	—	—	57,107	—
Other Goods carried ...	tons 613,589	1,082,463	616,966	—	—	109,299	—
Total Freight carried ...	tons 2,600,976	1,278,598	1,047,853	—	—		—

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1912.

Miles open ...	3,831½	3,624	4,274	—	—	495½	—
Revenue—							
Coaching (Passengers, Parcels, Mails, etc.) ...	£ 671,932	£ 634,142	£ 274,100	—	—	30,600	—
Goods, including Live Stock and Minerals ...	£ 868,600	£ 499,272	£ 545,628	—	—	35,113	—
Miscellaneous ...	£ 1,182	£ 22,682	£ 10,428	—	—	2,828	—
Total Revenue ...	£ 1,541,714	£ 1,156,096	£ 830,156	—	—	68,541	—
Expenditure ...	£ 1,065,948	£ 1,865,802	£ 455,938	—	—	35,160	—
Train miles run ...	4,500,903	3,329,593	2,934,473	—	—	248,785	—
Earnings per train mile	6/10½	6/11½	5/8	—	—	5/6	—
Expenditure per train mile	4/8½	5/2½	3/1½	—	—	2/10	—
Expenditure per cent. to Earnings ...	69.14	74.89	54.92	—	—	51.29	—
Passengers carried ...	No. 18,873,140	27,321,079	2,592,445	—	—	336,927	—
Coal and Coke carried ...	tons 1,878,467	105,147	206,111	—	—	50,712	—
Other Minerals carried ...	tons 142,742	305	195,106	—	—	4,200	—
Live Stock carried ...	tons 140,215	92,755	97,784	—	—	53,607	—
Other Goods carried ...	tons 742,692	928,107	561,219	—	—	108,519	—
Total Freight carried ...	tons 2,904,116	1,126,314	1,060,220	—	—		—

\* Not available.

† Does not include pensions and gratuities.

## Section VI.—Defence.

## No. 45.—UNIVERSAL (MILITARY) TRAINING TO 31st OCTOBER, 1912.

## MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS.

## JUNIOR CADETS.

Military District.	Total Number Medically Examined.	Medically Fit.		Unfit and Temporarily Unfit.	
		Number.	Per cent. of Examinees	Number.	Per cent. of Examinees
1st Queensland ...	5,462	5,292	96.9	170	3.1
2nd New South Wales ...	15,732	15,290	97.2	442	2.8
3rd Victoria ...	11,223	11,121	99.1	102	0.9
4th South Australia ...	3,210	3,093	96.4	117	3.6
5th Western Australia ...	2,022	1,951	96.5	71	3.5
6th Tasmania ...	1,202	1,179	98.0	23	2.0
Commonwealth ...	38,851 (a)	37,926	97.6	925	2.4

(a) The smaller number as compared with the June figures is due to the draft of the 1898 quota to the Senior Cadets.

## SENIOR CADETS.

Military District.	Registrations in Training Areas.				
	Quota 1895.	Quota 1896.	Quota 1897.	Quota 1898.	Total.
1st Queensland ...	6,411	6,288	6,331	4,940	23,970
2nd New South Wales ...	13,601	13,744	13,941	10,678	51,964
3rd Victoria ...	11,733	12,090	11,895	9,637	45,355
4th South Australia ...	3,849	3,869	3,676	2,888	14,282
5th Western Australia ...	1,728	1,839	1,824	1,677	7,068
6th Tasmania ...	1,565	1,621	1,661	1,142	5,989
Commonwealth ...	38,887	39,451	39,328	30,962	148,628

## SENIOR CADETS—continued.

Military District.	Number Medically Examined.	Medically Fit.		Exemptions Granted in Training Areas.	Number Remaining to be Examined or Exempt.	Total Number Liable for Training.	Total Number Actually in Training.
		Number.	Per cent. of Examinees.				
1st Queensland	13,662	12,322	90.2	11,453	195	12,322	12,089
2nd N. S. Wales	36,736	34,184	93.1	17,387	393	34,184	33,210
3rd Victoria ...	31,418	28,900	92.0	15,773	682	28,900	28,337
4th S. Australia	10,080	9,240	91.7	4,857	185	9,240	9,036
5th W. Australia	4,730	4,284	90.6	2,622	162	4,284	4,227
6th Tasmania ...	3,410	3,140	92.0	2,707	142	3,140	3,107
Commonwealth	100,036 (a)	92,070	92.0	54,799	1,759	92,070	90,006

(a) The small number as compared with the June figures is due to the draft of the 1894 quota to the Citizen Forces.



## MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS—continued.

REGISTRATIONS &amp; C., FOR TRAINING IN MILITIA FORCES, 1894 QUOTA (a).

Military District.	Total Registrations.	Number Medically Examined	Medically Fit.		Exemptions Granted in Training Areas.	Number Remaining to be Examined or Exempt	Number actually in Training.
			Number.	Per cent. of Examinees			
1st Queensland	5,567	2,675	2,124	79.4	3,329	114	2,124
2nd N. S. Wales	12,536	7,677	6,457	84.1	5,577	502	6,361
3rd Victoria ...	10,888	6,529	5,395	82.6	5,161	332	5,186
4th S. Australia	3,568	2,020	1,746	86.4	1,603	219	1,689
5th W. Australia	1,608	826	725	87.8	771	112	724
6th Tasmania ...	1,410	693	582	84.0	759	69	561
Commonwealth	35,577	20,420	17,029	83.4	17,200	1,348	16,645

(a) 1894 quota liable for training in the Citizen Forces on and from 1st July, 1912.

## No. 46.—STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR THE COMMONWEALTH, 1861-1911.

Heading.		Years.						
		1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1910.	1911. \$
Population	Males	669,373	928,918	1,247,059	1,736,617	2,004,896	2,296,308	2,377,920
31st Dec.	Females	498,776	771,970	1,059,677	1,504,368	1,820,077	2,198,775	2,190,787
	Total	1,168,149	1,700,888	2,306,736	3,240,985	3,824,973	4,495,083	4,568,707
Births	No.	48,908	63,625	80,004	110,187	102,945	116,801	129,193
	Rate	42.28	38.00	35.26	34.47	27.16	26.73	27.21
Deaths	No.	20,061	22,175	33,327	47,430	46,330	45,530	47,869
	Rate	17.34	13.24	14.69	14.84	12.22	10.33	10.66
Marriages	No.	10,000	11,623	17,244	23,862	27,753	36,592	39,482
	Rate	8.64	6.94	7.60	7.47	7.32	8.37	8.79
Agriculture								
Wheat	Area, acs.	704,431	1,279,778	3,002,064	3,335,528	5,115,965	7,372,456	7,427,834
	Yld., bshl	10,236,549	11,917,741	21,443,862	25,675,265	38,561,619	95,111,983	71,636,347
	Av. "	14.53	9.31	7.14	7.70	7.54	12.90	9.64
	Area, acs.	129,738	225,492	194,816	246,129	461,430	676,688	616,857
Oats	Yld., bshl	3,090,982	4,251,630	4,970,897	5,726,256	9,789,854	15,428,456	9,561,771
	Av. "	23.82	18.85	24.62	23.27	21.22	22.80	15.50
	Area, acs.	27,099	48,164	75,864	68,068	74,511	108,424	116,466
Barley	Yld., bshl	507,879	726,158	1,353,380	1,178,560	1,519,819	2,226,368	2,056,636
	Av. "	18.75	15.08	17.84	17.31	20.40	20.53	17.68
	Area, acs.	61,178	142,078	165,777	284,422	294,849	414,914	340,065
Maize	Yld., bshl	1,799,862	3,576,965	5,726,256	9,261,992	7,034,786	13,044,081	9,039,855
	Av. "	29.18	32.21	34.54	32.56	23.86	31.44	26.58
	Area, acs.	222,003	303,274	768,388	942,166	1,688,402	2,258,405	2,518,288
Hay	Yld., tons	298,184	375,871	767,194	1,067,255	2,024,608	3,175,851	2,868,092
	Av. "	1.34	1.24	1.00	1.13	1.20	1.41	1.12
	Area, acs.	47,338	67,911	76,265	112,884	109,685	151,515	130,463
Potatoes*	Yld., tons	147,610	212,896	243,216	380,477	322,524	399,851	301,469
	Av. "	3.12	3.13	3.19	3.37	2.94	2.64	2.31
	Area, acs.	...	11,576	19,708	45,444	86,950	100,237	101,010
Sugar	Yld., tons	...	176,632	349,627	737,577	1,367,802	2,000,758	1,682,250
Cane	Av. "	...	15.25	17.74	16.23	15.73	19.96	16.65
	Area, acs.	7,010	16,253	14,570	48,882	63,677	59,114	60,602
Vineyards	Wine, gal	495,000	2,104,000	1,488,000	3,535,000	5,816,087	5,866,049	4,975,147
Total value all agricultural production	£	...	8,941,000	15,519,000	16,480,000	23,835,000	39,752,000	38,773,678
Pastoral, dairying, etc.								
Live	Sheep, No.	20,980,123	40,072,955	65,092,719	106,421,068	72,040,211	92,047,015	99,003,521
	Cattle, "	3,846,554	4,277,228	8,010,991	11,112,112	8,491,428	11,744,714	11,828,954
Stock	Horses, "	431,695	701,530	1,088,029	1,584,737	1,620,420	2,165,866	2,279,027
	Pigs, "	319,147	586,017	703,188	845,888	931,301	1,025,850	1,110,721
Wool prod., lb. greasy		...	179,000,000	332,759,000	631,587,000	548,131,661	792,968,466	767,784,895
Butter product "n, lbs.		+	+	+	47,433,564	101,671,066	193,211,909	211,577,745
Cheese	"	+	+	+	19,146,929	16,575,692	16,537,011	15,866,712
Bacon and ham	"	+	+	+	+	34,020,629	45,149,752	53,264,652
Total estimated value of pastoral and dairying production	£	...	20,736,000	29,538,000	39,256,000	36,890,000	74,380,000	69,832,000
Mineral production—								
Gold...	£	9,950,000	7,239,106	5,194,390	5,281,861	14,005,732	11,553,840	10,551,624
Silver and lead	£	5,702	29,488	31,139	3,717,825	2,367,687	2,603,909	3,021,284
Copper	£	458,758	824,111	673,786	362,745	2,208,590	2,989,412	2,564,276
Tin	£	11,937	18,597	1,145,603	560,750	432,576	950,768	1,209,973
Zinc...	£	...	...	...	2,622	4,057	1,289,781	1,415,169
Coal...	£	228,935	325,747	636,746	1,908,028	2,602,770	3,684,041	3,929,673
Total value all mineral production	£	10,657,533	8,484,728	7,813,523	12,093,837	22,043,104	23,215,191	23,480,211
Forestry production—								
Quantity of local timber sawn or hewn	sup. ft.	†	†	†	†	452,131,252	532,561,087	591,645,786
Manufactories—								
† No. of factories	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,852	14,455
Hands employed	No.	...	...	...	...	...	286,963	311,772
Wages paid	£	...	...	...	...	...	23,870,540	27,351,876
Total value of output	£	...	...	...	...	...	120,860,158	133,186,560
Value added in process of manufac.	£	...	...	...	...	...	48,063,922	54,144,984

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR THE COMMONWEALTH—(continued).

Heading.	Years.						
	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1910.	1911. \$
Shipping—							
Oversea vessels (No. ent. & cleared ton.	2,466 1,149,476	2,748 1,312,642	3,284 2,549,364	3,778 4,726,307	4,028 6,541,991	4,048 9,333,146	4,174 9,984,801
Commerce—							
Imports oversea £	17,651,000	17,017,000	29,067,000	37,711,000	42,434,000	60,014,351	66,967,488
" per head £	15/5/2	10/3/3	12/16/2	11/16/0	11/3/11	13/14/8	14/18/3
Exports oversea £	17,413,000	21,725,000	27,528,000	36,043,000	49,696,000	74,491,150	79,482,258
" per head £	15/1/1	12/19/6	12/2/8	11/5/6	13/2/2	17/0/10	17/14/1
Total oversea trade £	35,064,000	38,742,000	56,595,000	73,754,000	92,130,000	134,505,501	146,449,746
" per head £	30/6/3	23/2/9	24/18/10	23/1/6	24/6/1	30/15/6	32/12/4
Customs and excise duties ... .. £	...	...	4,809,326	7,440,869	8,656,530	12,222,125	13,515,005
" per head, £	...	...	2/2/5	2/6/7	2/5/8	2/15/11	3/0/2
Principal Oversea Exports—							
Wool { lbs. (greasy) £	60,367,492	176,635,820	328,369,169	619,259,753	518,018,134	743,449,869	720,364,903
" bushels £	5,005,799	9,459,629	13,173,026	19,940,029	15,237,454	28,777,283	26,071,193
Wheat { £	87,249	799,924	5,364,653	9,794,791	20,260,058	47,761,895	55,147,848
" tons £	24,041	193,732	1,189,762	1,938,864	2,774,643	9,933,561	9,641,608
Flour { £	7,602	12,988	49,549	33,363	96,814	139,946	175,891
" lbs. £	113,172	170,415	519,635	328,423	589,604	1,244,165	1,391,529
Butter { £	664,160	1,812,688	1,298,758	4,239,494	34,607,397	87,928,151	101,722,136
" lbs. £	21,692	45,813	39,383	206,868	1,451,168	3,952,808	4,637,362
Skins and hides... £	180,292	100,123	316,878	873,695	1,250,938	3,950,258	3,227,236
Tallow ... .. £	148,201	914,278	644,149	571,099	677,745	1,890,867	1,936,599
Meats ... .. £	37,575	566,780	362,965	460,894	2,611,244	4,792,299	4,307,273
Timber (undressed) £	32,367	42,586	118,117	38,448	731,301	993,123	1,039,534
Gold ... .. £	9,957,056	7,184,833	6,445,265	5,703,532	14,315,741	4,746,929	12,045,766
Silver and lead ... £	4,237	37,891	57,954	1,932,278	2,250,253	2,853,646	3,249,011
Copper ... .. £	381,718	598,538	676,515	417,687	1,619,145	2,270,313	2,349,443
Coal... .. £	63,061	134,355	361,081	645,972	986,957	910,063	900,622
Railways—							
Length, of line open, mls	205	970	3,832	9,541	12,577	15,466	16,079
Capital cost ... £	6,654,516	19,269,786	42,741,350	99,764,090	123,587,000	146,882,000	152,596,000
Gross revenue ... £	318,823	1,102,650	3,910,122	8,654,085	11,038,000	16,042,000	17,848,000
Working expenses £	234,040	608,332	2,141,735	5,630,182	7,149,000	9,899,000	11,054,000
Per cent. of work'g expenses on earnings%	73.41	55.17	54.77	65.06	64.76	61.70	61.94
Postal—							
Letters and postcards dealt with ... No.	12,844,000	24,382,000	67,640,000	157,297,000	220,853,000	392,851,000	453,885,000
" per head ...	11.13	14.54	29.61	49.07	58.26	89.89	101.1
Newspapers dealt with ... No.	9,603,000	13,336,000	38,063,000	85,280,000	102,727,000	132,415,000	139,604,000
" per head ...	8.32	7.95	16.66	26.61	27.10	30.30	31.1
Banks of Issue—							
Note circulation £	2,970,357	2,456,487	3,978,711	4,417,269	3,406,175	4,291,101	876,428
Coin & bullion held £	4,662,415	6,168,869	9,108,243	16,712,923	19,737,572	32,728,537	39,024,225
Advances ... .. £	18,261,129	26,039,573	57,732,824	129,741,583	89,167,499	105,030,155	116,769,133
Deposits ... .. £	13,817,435	21,856,959	53,849,455	98,345,338	90,965,530	135,145,240	147,103,081
Savings Banks—							
Number of depositors	27,877	100,713	250,070	614,741	964,553	1,483,573	1,600,112
Total deposits ... £	1,320,739	3,193,285	7,854,480	15,536,592	30,882,645	53,117,498	59,393,682
Aver. per depositor £	47/7/7	31/14/2	31/8/2	25/5/6	32/0/4	35/16/1	37/2/4
" head of population ... £	0/18/8	1/18/9	3/10/5	4/18/7	8/4/0	12/5/8	13/8/5
State Schools—							
Number of schools	1,864	2,502	4,494	6,231	7,012	7,908	8,057
Teachers ... .. No.	2,471	4,641	9,028	12,564	14,500	16,507	16,968
Enrolment ... ..	106,049	236,710	432,320	561,153	638,478	627,910	638,765
Aver. attendance ..	73,446	137,767	255,143	350,773	450,246	455,870	463,739

\* Partly estimated 1861, 1871, and 1881.

† Owing to variation in classification and lack of information effective comparison is impossible.

‡ Information not available.

§ Information so far as at present available.

|| Small amount of bank note circulation is due to issue of Australian notes.

¶ Productive cane only.